A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SHORT TERM INVESTMENT OF COUNTY MONEYS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- SECTION 1. Section 46-50, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 1 2 amended to read as follows: 3 "§46-50 Short term investment of county moneys. 4 director of finance of each county may, with the approval of the 5 legislative body, invest county moneys which are in excess of 6 the amounts necessary for the meeting of immediate requirements 7 when in the judgment of the legislative body the action will not 8 impede or hamper the necessary financial operations of the 9 county in: 10 Bonds or interest-bearing notes or obligations: 11 (A) Of the county; 12 (B) Of the State; 13 (C) Of the United States; or 14 (D) Of agencies of the United States; for which the full faith and credit of the United 15 16 States are pledged for the payment of principal and 17 interest: 18 Federal land bank bonds; (2)



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1	(3)	Joint stock farm loan bonds;
2	(4)	Federal Home Loan Bank notes and bonds;
3	(5)	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation bonds;
4	(6)	Federal National Mortgage Association notes and bonds;
5	(7)	Securities of a mutual fund whose portfolio is limited
6		to bonds or securities issued or guaranteed by the
7		United States or an agency thereof;
8	(8)	Repurchase agreements fully collateralized by any such
9		bonds or securities;
10	(9)	Bank savings accounts;
11	(10)	Time certificates of deposit;
12	(11)	Certificates of deposit open account;
13	(12)	Bonds of any improvement district of any county of the
14		State;
15	(13)	Bank, savings and loan association, and financial
16		services loan company repurchase agreements;
17	(14)	Student loan resource securities including:
18		(A) Student loan auction rate securities;
19		(B) Student loan asset-backed notes;
20		(C) Student loan program revenue notes and bonds; and

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1		(D) Securities issued pursuant to Rule 144A of the
2		Securities Act of 1933, including any private
3		placement issues;
4		issued with either bond insurance or
5		overcollateralization guaranteed by the United States
6		Department of Education; provided all insurers
7		maintain a triple-A rating by Standard & Poor's,
8		Moody's, Duff & Phelps, Fitch, or any other major
9		national securities rating agency;
10	(15)	Commercial paper with an A1/P1 or equivalent rating by
11		any national securities rating service; and
12	(16)	Bankers' acceptances with an A1/P1 or equivalent
13		rating by any national securities rating service;
14	provided	the investments are due to mature not more than five
15	years fro	m the date of investment. The income derived therefrom
16	shall be	deposited in the fund or funds that the legislative
17	body shal	l direct, provided that if any money invested under
18	this sect	ion belongs to any waterworks fund, then any income
19	derived t	herefrom shall be paid into and credited to the fund."
20	SECT	ION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Short Term Investment; County Moneys

Description:

Expands short term investment of county moneys to include commercial paper and bankers' acceptances.