A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HOUSING.

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

1	SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the best possible
2	solution to retain the Kukui Gardens apartment complex as an
3	affordable housing development is for the State to purchase it.
4	The purpose of this Act is to appropriate moneys to
5	purchase the Kukui Gardens development to ensure that it remains
6	an affordable housing development.
7	SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
8	revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$, or so
9	much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008, and
10	the same sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
11	year 2008-2009, to purchase the real property, housing
12	development, and appurtenances at Kukui Gardens; provided that
13	the State:
14	(1) Shall hold title to the land and the land shall be
15	used in perpetuity for affordable housing; and
16	(2) May contract with a private nonprofit rental
17	management organization to operate the existing

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facility and to develop additional affordable rentals
on the site.

The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
of business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes
of this Act.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

Report Title:

Housing; Appropriation; Kukui Gardens

Description:

Appropriates moneys to allow Kukui Gardens to remain an affordable development. Establishes that the State shall hold title to the land and may contract the services of a private nonprofit entity to manage the property and develop additional affordable dwelling units. (SD2)