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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS THAT PROVIDE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that it is in the public
- 2 interest to encourage development of senior housing communities
- 3 in the State of Hawaii. The legislature finds that the
- 4 Craigside Retirement Residence, a not-for-profit Hawaii
- 5 corporation, is engaged in the development of a senior housing
- 6 community, with a continuum of care, in Honolulu on the island
- 7 of Oahu and thereby services the public.
- 8 The legislature finds that Craigside Retirement Residence
- 9 may be assisted through the issuance of special purpose revenue
- 10 bonds because its senior housing community in Honolulu is a
- 11 health care project as defined in part II, chapter 39A, Hawaii
- 12 Revised Statutes.
- 13 SECTION 2. The legislature finds and declares that the
- 14 issuance of special purpose revenue bonds under this Act is in
- 15 the public interest and for the public health, safety, and
- 16 general welfare.



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SECTION 3. Pursuant to part II, chapter 39A, Hawaii
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    Revised Statutes, the department of budget and finance, with the
    approval of the governor, is authorized to issue special purpose
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    revenue bonds not to exceed $120,000,000, in one or more series,
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    for the purpose of assisting Craigside Retirement Residence, a
    Hawaii not-for-profit corporation, for the purchase of land, and
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    for the planning, design, and construction of a senior housing
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    community. The legislature hereby finds and determines that the
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    Craigside Retirement Residence constitutes a healthcare facility
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    as defined in part II, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and
    the financing thereof is assistance to a healthcare facility.
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         SECTION 4. The special purpose revenue bonds and the
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    refunding special purpose revenue bonds issued under this Act
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    shall be issued pursuant to part II, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised
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    Statutes, relating to the power to issue special purpose revenue
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    bonds to assist Craigside Retirement Residence enterprises.
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         SECTION 5. The department of budget and finance is
    authorized, from time to time, including times subsequent to
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    June 30, 2012, to issue special purpose revenue bonds in
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    whatever principal amounts the department shall determine to be
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    necessary to refund the special purpose revenue bonds authorized
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    in section 2 and to refund special purpose revenue bonds
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- 1 authorized in this section, regardless of whether the
- 2 outstanding special purpose revenue bonds or refunding special
- 3 purpose revenue bonds have matured or are the subject of
- 4 redemption or whether the refunding special purpose revenue
- 5 bonds shall be bonds for the multi-project programs described in
- 6 section 3. In making this determination, the department shall
- 7 comply with federal law relating to the exemption from federal
- 8 income taxation of the interest on bonds of the nature
- 9 authorized by this section.
- 10 SECTION 6. The authorization to issue special purpose
- 11 revenue bonds under this Act shall lapse on June 30, 2012.
- 12 SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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Report Title:

SPRB; Craigside Retirement Residence

Description:

Authorizes issuance of special purpose revenue bonds for 15 Craigside, a continuing care retirement community, in Nuuanu.