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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY.

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

1           SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the unemployment  
2 trust fund from moneys deposited pursuant to section 383-123(b)  
3 the sum of \$           or so much thereof as may be necessary for  
4 fiscal year 2008-2009 for the purposes specified in this Act as  
5 follows:

6           (1) The sum of:

7           (A) \$       shall be allocated to the Oahu workforce  
8 investment board, which shall work in  
9 collaboration with the city and county of  
10 Honolulu;

11           (B) \$       shall be allocated to the Maui workforce  
12 investment board, which shall work in  
13 collaboration with the county of Maui;

14           (C) \$       shall be allocated to the Kauai workforce  
15 investment board, which shall work in  
16 collaboration with the county of Kauai; and



1 (D) \$ shall be allocated to the Hawaii workforce  
2 investment board, which shall work in  
3 collaboration with the county of Hawaii,  
4 to improve employer outreach and services, labor force  
5 pool expansion, capacity building and to fund some  
6 shared costs for the operations of the one-stop career  
7 centers within each county; and

8 (2) The sum of \$ shall be allocated to the department  
9 of labor and industrial relations to be used by the  
10 workforce development council for the funding of  
11 positions to identify additional funds and resources  
12 to support statewide activities under this Act, with  
13 the goal of being self-sufficient.

14 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of  
15 labor and industrial relations for the purposes of this Act;  
16 provided that each county workforce investment board shall be  
17 required to submit a workforce development plan that shall be  
18 approved by the workforce development council prior to the  
19 release of funds for that county workforce investment board by  
20 the department of labor and industrial relations.



1 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2008.

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**Report Title:**

Employment security; Reed act.

**Description:**

Appropriates funds for fiscal year 2007-08 in Reed Act funds for services of the unemployment insurance and workforce development divisions.

