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S.B. NO. 3172

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO RENTAL ASSISTANCE.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 356D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§356D- Rent supplement; qualification. Except as
5 provided by federal law, nothing in this chapter shall prevent a
6 person who otherwise qualifies for rent supplement under this
7 chapter from taking up to one hundred eighty days (from the day
8 the person's application for rent supplement is approved) to
9 secure a qualified rental dwelling; provided that rent
10 supplement payments shall not commence until a qualified rental
11 dwelling is secured."

12 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Rental Assistance; Housing

Description:

Provides qualified rental assistance applicants up to six months to find a qualified rental dwelling.

