

JAN 23 2009

A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HAWAII COUNTY ECONOMIC
OPPORTUNITY COUNCIL.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the Hawaii County
2 Economic Opportunity Council is a private non-profit
3 organization established in 1965 whose sole purpose is to serve
4 the low-income population in the county of Hawaii.
5 Specifically, the agency has provided county-wide transportation
6 services in the county of Hawaii for disadvantaged persons for
7 more than thirty-three years and is also the only agency in the
8 county that transports low-income persons exclusively.

9 The legislature further finds that the agency needs to
10 replace ten transportation vehicles in order to continue to
11 transport the county's low-income population to and from public
12 and private service facilities.

13 The legislature accordingly finds that appropriating funds
14 to the Hawaii county economic opportunity council for the
15 purchase of buses to serve the disadvantaged elderly, pre-school
16 children, and disabled persons throughout the county is an
17 appropriation for a public purpose.



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1 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
 2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$600,000 or so much
 3 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2009-2010 for
 4 purchase of ten new buses to serve the disadvantaged elderly,
 5 pre-school children, and disabled persons.

6 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii county
 7 economic opportunity council for the purposes of this Act.

8 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2009.

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INTRODUCED BY: *[Signature]*
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Report Title:

Hawaii County Economic Opportunity Council; Appropriations

Description:

Appropriates funds for the Hawaii County Economic Opportunity Council to purchase 10 buses.

