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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 37-36, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

3 "(b) Prior to the implementation of any modification in  
4 allotment proposed by the director of finance pursuant to  
5 subsection (a) [7] in which the sum of the modifications exceed  
6 2.5 per cent of the total general fund appropriation made by the  
7 legislature in any fiscal year, the director shall notify the  
8 president of the senate, the speaker of the house of  
9 representatives, and the chairpersons of the senate committee on  
10 ways and means and the house of representatives committee on  
11 finance, respectively, of the director's intent."

12 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
13 and stricken.

14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.  
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State Finances

**Description:**  
Makes technical a amendment to the budget allotment modification law.

