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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CREATIVE MEDIA.

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

1           SECTION 1. (a) There is established a creative media task  
2 force that is to be attached to the auditor for administrative  
3 purposes only. The task force shall develop legislative  
4 initiatives that encourage and enable the development of  
5 projects and businesses in the motion picture, television,  
6 recording, digital media, and related industries through:

7           (1) Evaluating the tax credit for high technology business  
8           investments under section 235-110.9, Hawaii Revised  
9           Statutes; and

10          (2) Developing legislation to improve the credit or  
11          establish alternatives to the credit.

12          (b) The task force shall include the following members:

13          (1) The director of taxation or the director's designee;  
14          and

15          (2) Six members to represent stakeholders of the tax  
16          credit for high technology business investments under  
17          section 235-110.9, Hawaii Revised Statutes, with three

1 members to be appointed by the governor from a list  
2 submitted by the president of the senate, and three  
3 members to be appointed by the governor from a list  
4 submitted by the speaker of the house of  
5 representatives.

6 The director of business, economic development, and tourism or  
7 the director's designee may serve as an ex-officio member.

8 (c) The members of the task force shall serve without  
9 compensation but shall be reimbursed for reasonable expenses,  
10 including travel expenses, incurred in the performance of their  
11 duties.

12 (d) The task force shall submit a report to the  
13 legislature of its findings, recommendations, and proposed  
14 legislation no later than twenty days prior to the convening of  
15 the regular session of 2011. The task force shall be dissolved  
16 upon adjournment of the regular session of 2011, sine die.

17 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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**Report Title:**

Creative Media Task Force

**Description:**

Creates a creative media task force to develop legislation to encourage and enable the development of projects and businesses in the motion picture, television, recording, digital media, and related industries. (SD1)

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