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SENATE RESOLUTION

URGING THE GOVERNOR TO ALLOCATE FUNDS AND WORK WITH REPUTABLE COMPANIES TO PROVIDE TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AND SOCIAL SERVICES FOR HOMELESS PERSONS ON OAHU'S NORTH SHORE.

1 WHEREAS, there are a number of homeless individuals and
2 families on Oahu's north shore, including in the town of
3 Wahiawa; and
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5 WHEREAS, because these people face many obstacles and
6 challenges in their efforts to find housing, remedies must be
7 tailored to their various needs and there should be a continuum
8 of housing and services made available; and
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10 WHEREAS, the north shore lacks an adequate supply of
11 transitional housing where homeless people can stay and receive
12 support while transitioning into permanent housing; and
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14 WHEREAS, homeless support services, such as classes on life
15 skills and financial literacy, are also in low supply in areas
16 throughout the north shore of Oahu; now, therefore,
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18 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-sixth
19 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2011,
20 that the Governor is urged to allocate funds and work with
21 reputable companies to provide transitional housing and social
22 services on Oahu's north shore; and
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24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
25 Resolution be transmitted to the Governor.
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OFFERED BY: 

