## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HOMELESSNESS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
- 2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
- 3 read as follows:
- 4 "\$8- Homelessness awareness month. The month of
- 5 November shall be known and designated as "Homelessness
- 6 Awareness Month" to promote public awareness of homelessness as
- 7 a significant societal, public health and welfare, and public
- 8 housing shortage problem. This month is not and shall not be
- 9 construed as a state holiday."
- 10 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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### Report Title:

Homelessness Awareness Month

### Description:

Designates November as homelessness awareness month.

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