
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the mission of the
2 state foundation on culture and the arts is to promote,
3 perpetuate, preserve, and encourage culture and the arts as
4 central to the quality of life and people of Hawaii. The
5 foundation's strategic priorities include increasing public
6 accessibility to arts and culture and managing assets to ensure
7 that the foundation remains strong, sustainable, and capable of
8 achieving its goals. The foundation's major assets include
9 about \$3,000,000 per year in works of art special fund revenues
10 and a collection of nearly six thousand three hundred pieces of
11 artwork.

12 An audit of the Hawaii state foundation on culture and the
13 arts, Report No. 14-11, was recently completed by the auditor.
14 The auditor found that the foundation needs to improve its
15 management to ensure the accountability, accessibility, and
16 protection of these resources. Adequate staffing is critical to
17 the performance of these duties.



1 The purpose of this Act is to address the auditor's
2 findings through the appropriation of moneys to establish four
3 full-time equivalent positions (4.0 FTE) with the state
4 foundation on culture and the arts.

5 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the works of art
6 special fund established pursuant to section 103-8.5, Hawaii
7 Revised Statutes, the sum of \$ or so much thereof as
8 may be necessary for fiscal year 2015-2016 and the sum of
9 \$ or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
10 year 2016-2017 to establish four full-time equivalent positions
11 (4.0 FTE) with the state foundation on culture and the arts;
12 provided that the duties and responsibilities of each position
13 shall be directly related to the purpose and mission of the
14 works of art special fund.

15 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
16 of accounting and general services for the purposes of this Act.

17 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.

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Report Title:

State Foundation on Culture and the Arts; Appropriation

Description:

Makes an appropriation for the establishment of 4 full-time positions (4.0 FTE) at the state foundation on culture and the arts. (SD1)

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