A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 231-27, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "\$231-27 Partial payment of taxes. Whenever a taxpayer
- 4 makes a partial payment of a particular assessment of taxes, the
- 5 amount received by the department of taxation shall first be
- 6 credited to [interest,] principal, then to [penalties,]
- 7 interest, and then to [principal.] penalties."
- 8 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 9 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 10 begun before its effective date.
- 11 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 12 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 13 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Taxation; Distribution of Partial Payment

Description:

Requires that partial payment of taxes be credited first to principal, then to interest, and then to penalties.

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