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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO GRANTS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 42F-102, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§42F-102 Applications for grants. (a) Requests for
4 grants shall be submitted to the appropriate standing committees
5 of the legislature at the start of each regular session of the
6 legislature. Each request shall state:

- 7 (1) The name of the requesting organization or individual;
8 (2) The public purpose for the grant;
9 (3) The services to be supported by the grant;
10 (4) The target group; and
11 (5) The cost of the grant and the budget.

12 (b) Each standing committee of the legislature that
13 receives a request for a grant pursuant to this section shall:

- 14 (1) Hold a public hearing to evaluate the request;
15 (2) Make available for public review the criteria and
16 process it will use in determining whether to grant or
17 deny the request; and



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1 (3) Make available for public review the votes of the
 2 membership of each committee that will determine
 3 whether to grant or deny the request;
 4 provided that this subsection shall not be construed to require
 5 the disclosure of government records that are exempt from
 6 disclosure pursuant to chapter 92F."

7 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

8 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Grants-in-Aid; Process Disclosure; Ways and Means; Finance

Description:

Requires public hearings by legislative committees on grant-in-aid applications. Requires decision criteria, process, and decisions to be made public during the evaluation process.

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