H.B. NO. 1704

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SUICIDE PREVENTION.

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

1 SECTION 1. There is appropriated out of the general 2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so 3 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 for 4 the department of education to consult with public and private 5 institutions and professional associations that are considered experts in suicide assessment, suicide treatment, and suicide 6 7 management to implement a mobile application for suicide 8 prevention that provides twenty-four hours per day crisis 9 support services and offers students confidential and anonymous 10 two-way communication with a crisis counselor.

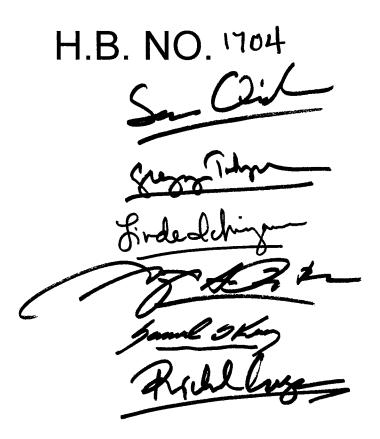
11 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of 12 education for the purposes of this Act.

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SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.

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Description:

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