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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE STATE CAPITOL.

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

- 1           SECTION 1. (a) The department of accounting and general  
2 services and the department of public safety, in consultation  
3 with the legislature and any other applicable entity, shall  
4 promptly plan and implement security improvements at the state  
5 capitol, which shall include, at a minimum, the following:
- 6           (1) Controlled access points, on the rotunda and chamber  
7 levels, having appropriate equipment to detect weapons  
8 and other contraband;
- 9           (2) Fencing or other appropriate barriers to prevent:
- 10           (A) Unauthorized vehicles from entering the capitol  
11 grounds; and
- 12           (B) Unauthorized access to the capitol rotunda; and
- 13           (3) The employment of private personnel to staff  
14 controlled access points to screen for weapons and  
15 contraband, effectuate the security improvements, and  
16 perform these duties in coordination with the law  
17 enforcement personnel of the State and county.



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1           (b) The department of land and natural resources state  
2 historic preservation division shall promptly evaluate the  
3 potential necessity of any exemptions from applicable historic  
4 preservation designations or related restrictions to accomplish  
5 the security improvements. The state historic preservation  
6 division shall assist the department of accounting and general  
7 services to expedite and facilitate the application and  
8 approval, as appropriate, for any necessary exemptions from  
9 state or federal historic preservation laws.

10           (c) The department of accounting and general services and  
11 department of public safety may implement additional security  
12 improvements while the security improvements mandated by this  
13 Act are being planned and developed.

14           (d) No later than twenty days prior to the convening of  
15 the 2020 and 2021 regular sessions, the department of accounting  
16 and general services shall provide annual reports to the  
17 legislature on the status of its efforts to effectuate the  
18 purposes of this Act.

19           SECTION 2. No later than October 31, 2019, the department  
20 of accounting and general services shall remove all parking  
21 meters from the state capitol parking facility. The affected



1 parking stalls shall be allocated among the governor, lieutenant  
2 governor, senate, house of representatives, and legislative  
3 reference bureau on a pro rata basis and made available to state  
4 employees whose place of employment is the state capitol and who  
5 meet the qualifications of their respective employer's parking  
6 policies. To offset the loss of metered parking stalls in the  
7 state capitol, the department of accounting and general services  
8 may establish and maintain additional public metered parking  
9 stalls available in the Kinau Hale parking lot and the state  
10 parking garage located at 301 South Vineyard Street.

11 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general  
12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so much  
13 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 and the  
14 sum of \$ or so much thereof as may be necessary for  
15 fiscal year 2020-2021 for the department of accounting and  
16 general services to plan and implement security improvements,  
17 including the planning, design, and installation of vehicular  
18 barriers, at the state capitol pursuant to section 1 of this  
19 Act.

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





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**Report Title:**

State Capitol; DAGS; DPS; Security; Parking

**Description:**

Requires DAGS and DPS, in consultation with the Legislature and other entities, to plan and implement security improvements at the State Capitol. Requires DAGS to remove all parking meters from the Capitol parking facility and reallocate parking in the Capitol district. Appropriates funds.

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