### A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES.

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

1	PART I		
2	SECTION 1. The following sums or so much the	erec	of as may be
3	necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 are appropria	ted	out of the
4	general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the de	part	ment of the
5	attorney general for the purpose of satisfying cl	aims	for
6	legislative relief as to the following named pers	ons,	firms,
7	corporations, and entities, for claims against th	ıe St	ate or its
8	officers or employees for the overpayment of taxe	s, c	or for
9	refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments or	set	tlements,
10	or other liabilities, in the amounts set forth op	posi	te their
11	names:		
12 13 14	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:		AMOUNT
15 16	1. DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL:		
17 18 19 20	Aloha Pregnancy Care and Counseling Center, Inc. v. Suzuki, et al. Civil No. 17-00343, USDC	\$	20,344.50 Settlement
21 22	2. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:		
23	Miller-Potter v. State of Hawaii, et al.	\$	75,000.00

1 2	2	Civil No. 16-1-0385K, Third Circuit		Settlement
3	3.	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:		
5 6 7		Kawamoto, et al. v. Ige, et al. Civil No. 16-00362, USDC	\$	27,500.00 Settlement
8 9	4.	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES:		
10 11 12 13		Doe 1, John, et al. v. Department of Human Services, et al., Civil No. 14-1-0554(2), Second Circuit	\$	585,000.00 Settlement
14 15 16		Kawamoto, et al. v. Ige, et al. Civil No. 16-00362, USDC	\$	27,500.00 Settlement
17 18	5.	DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES:		
19 20 21		Boucher v. Vitousek, et al. Civil No. 16-1-155K, Third Circuit	\$	70,000.00 Settlement
22 23	6.	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:		
24 25 26		Fraser v. Lingle, et al. Civil No. 08-1-0709(1), Second Circuit	\$	25,000.00 Settlement
27 28 29		Luong v. Sequeira, et al. Civil No. 16-00613, USDC	\$	27,500.00 Settlement
30 31 32		Johnson v. Department of Public Safety, et al., Civil No. 15-1-0609-04, First Circui	\$ t 	
33 34 35		SUBTOTAL	\$	875,844.50
36 37		TOTAL (SECTION 1)	\$	875,844.50
38		The sums appropriated shall be expended by the	he d	epartment
39	of t	he attorney general for the purposes of this	Act.	
40		PART II		

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1	SECTION 2. The following sums or so much thereof as may be				
2	necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 are appropriated out of the				
3	state highway fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for				
4	legislative relief as to the following named persons, for claims				
5	against the State or its officers or employees for payments of				
6	judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in the amount				
7	set forth opposite their names:				
8 9 10	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE  AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:				
11 12	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS DIVISION:				
13 14 15	1. Bowles v. Hawaiian Electric Company, et al. \$ 12,166.45 Civil No. 17-1-0259-02 VLC, First Circuit Settlement				
16 17 18	\$ 12,166.45				
19 20	TOTAL (SECTION 2) \$ 12,166.45				
21	The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department				
22	of transportation, highways division, for the purposes of this				
23	Act.				
24	PART III				
25	SECTION 3. The sums hereinabove may be paid to the				
26	respective persons, or for the satisfaction or settlement of the				
27	respectively identified cases, and in several amounts				
28	hereinabove set forth or in lesser amounts deemed appropriate,				
29	upon checks issued by the comptroller; provided departments  ATG-01(19)				

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1	shall obtain the approval of the attorney general before payment	
2	of any claim can be made.	
3	SECTION 4. Notwithstanding the sums hereinabove stated as	
4	interest upon judgments against the State, payment of interest	
5	shall be limited to the period from the date of judgment, if	
6	applicable, to thirty days after the effective date of this Act,	
7	as provided in section 662-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for those	
8	cases to which the statute applies.	
9	SECTION 5. All unexpended and unencumbered balances of the	
10	appropriations made in this Act as of the close of business on	
11	June 30, 2020, shall lapse.	
12	SECTION 6. If any provision of this Act, or the	
13	application thereof to any person or circumstance is held	
14	invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or	
15	applications of the Act, which can be given effect without the	
16	invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions	
17	of this Act are severable.	
18	SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.	
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20 21	INTRODUCED BY:	
22	BY REQUEST  JAN 2 2 2019	
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### Report Title:

Claims Against the State

### Description:

Makes appropriations for claims against the State, its officers, and its employees.

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### JUSTIFICATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT:

Attorney General

TITLE:

A BILL FOR AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES.

PURPOSE:

Provide for the authorization and payment of claims against the State for refunds of taxes, for judgments and settlements, and for other miscellaneous payments as provided by chapters 37, 661, and 662, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

MEANS:

Authorize and appropriate funds for the payment of such claims.

JUSTIFICATION:

This bill serves as the vehicle by which claims against the State are transmitted to the Legislature for its consideration. The Legislature will be asked to authorize and fund the payment of such claims by an appropriation of general and special funds. Timely passage of this bill will serve to minimize interest on those amounts for which interest is accruing.

Impact on the public: There would be no direct impact on the public other than the persons whose claims are being paid.

Impact on the department and other agencies:
Claims eligible for payment from a special
fund will generally be charged to that
special fund rather than the general fund.
Certain claims will be paid from a
department's appropriation as reflected in
the budget bill. In such case, that
department will be responsible for finding
the moneys in its budget to pay for the
judgments and settlements rendered against
it.

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GENERAL FUND:

\$875,844.50

OTHER FUNDS:

\$12,166.45

PPBS PROGRAM

DESIGNATION:

Various.

OTHER AFFECTED

AGENCIES:

None.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

Upon approval.