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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO NON-GENERAL FUNDS.

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

1           SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to repeal or abolish  
2 various non-general funds and accounts pursuant to the  
3 recommendations by the auditor in auditor's report no. 18-19 and  
4 to transfer the unencumbered balances to the general fund.

5           SECTION 2. Section 195-6.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
6 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

7           "(a) There is established in the department, a natural  
8 area partnership program to provide state funds on a two-for-one  
9 basis with private funds for the management of private lands  
10 that are dedicated to conservation. [~~Payments shall be made~~  
11 ~~from the natural area reserve fund with funds specifically~~  
12 ~~appropriated for this purpose.]"~~

13           SECTION 3. Section 195-9, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
14 repealed.

15           ~~["§195-9 Natural area reserve fund; heritage program;~~  
16 ~~established.~~ (a) ~~There is hereby established in the state~~  
17 ~~treasury a special fund known as the natural area reserve fund~~



1 ~~to implement the purposes of this chapter, including the~~  
2 ~~identification, establishment, and management of natural area~~  
3 ~~reserves, the acquisition of private lands for new natural area~~  
4 ~~reserves, the operation of the heritage program, and the~~  
5 ~~provision of matching funds for the natural area partnership~~  
6 ~~program. The fund shall be administered by the department.~~

7 ~~(b) The fund shall consist of moneys received from any~~  
8 ~~public or private sources. The fund shall be held separate and~~  
9 ~~apart from all other moneys, funds, and accounts in the state~~  
10 ~~treasury, except that any moneys received from the federal~~  
11 ~~government or from private contributions shall be deposited and~~  
12 ~~accounted for in accordance with conditions established by the~~  
13 ~~agencies or persons from whom the moneys are received.~~  
14 ~~Investment earnings credited to the assets of the fund shall~~  
15 ~~become a part of the assets of the fund. Any balance remaining~~  
16 ~~in the fund at the end of any fiscal year shall be carried~~  
17 ~~forward in the fund for the next fiscal year." ]~~

18 SECTION 4. The assistance in managing land fund  
19 administratively established in 2007 is abolished, and any  
20 remaining unencumbered balances shall lapse to the general fund.



1 SECTION 5. The native resources and fire protection  
2 program special fund administratively established in 2007 is  
3 abolished, and any remaining unencumbered balances shall lapse  
4 to the general fund.

5 SECTION 6. The preservation of endangered plants trust  
6 fund assistance administratively established in 1989 is  
7 abolished, and any remaining unencumbered balances shall lapse  
8 to the general fund.

9 SECTION 7. The proceeds from seizure/forfeited property  
10 trust account administratively established in 2000 is abolished,  
11 and any remaining unencumbered balances shall lapse to the  
12 general fund.

13 SECTION 8. The recreational renaissance - state parks  
14 special fund administratively established in 2010 is abolished,  
15 and any remaining unencumbered balances shall lapse to the  
16 general fund.

17 SECTION 9. On July 1, 2019, all unencumbered balances  
18 remaining in the natural areas reserve fund repealed by section  
19 3 of this Act shall lapse to the general fund.

20 SECTION 10. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
21 and stricken.

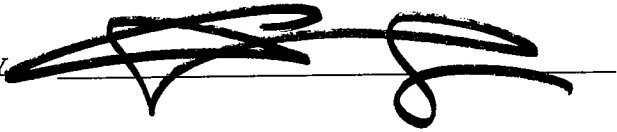



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1 SECTION 11. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2019.

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# H.B. NO. 125

**Report Title:**

Repeal of Non-General Funds; DLNR; Transfer of Balances

**Description:**

Abolishes various non-general funds and accounts of the Department of Land and Natural Resources and transfers the unencumbered balances to the general fund.

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