

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

DAVID Y. IGE

MAY 05 2022

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on

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, the following bill was signed into law:

SB3098 SD1 HD1

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR LEAD ABATEMENT.

ACT 022

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

THE SENATE THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE, 2022 STATE OF HAWAII ACT 022

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR LEAD ABATEMENT.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. This Act is recommended by the governor for
- 2 immediate passage in accordance with article VII, section 9 of
- 3 the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.
- 4 SECTION 2. The legislature finds that in providing a safe
- 5 educational space for students to learn, the department of
- 6 education strives to ensure that its facilities are maintained
- 7 to protect the health and safety of its students, teachers, and
- 8 staff. According to the United States Environmental Protection
- 9 Agency, there is no known safe level of lead in a child's blood,
- 10 and lead is harmful to health, especially for children.
- 11 The legislature further finds that the results of the
- 12 recently completed first phase of the United States
- 13 Environmental Protection Agency's Water Infrastructure
- 14 Improvements for the Nation Act grant program found that some
- 15 department of education elementary schools in Hawaii have old



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- 2 drinking water sources.
- 3 The purpose of this Act is to appropriate funds for fiscal
- 4 year 2021-2022 for lead abatement measures at department of
- 5 education elementary schools, including the repair or
- 6 replacement of plumbing fixtures shown to have lead levels of
- 7 more than five parts per billion.
- 8 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
- 9 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$1,850,000 or so much
- 10 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2021-2022 for the
- 11 purpose of lead abatement measures at department of education
- 12 elementary schools.
- 13 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
- 14 education.
- 15 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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APPROVED this 5 day of May , 2022

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: April 21, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2022.

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 3098, SD 1, HD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 12, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.

Scott K. Saiki

Scott K. Saiki Speaker House of Representatives

Brian L. Takeshita Chief Clerk

House of Representatives

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