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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

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RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,  
AND TOURISM.

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

1       SECTION 1. Chapter 201, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2       amended by adding a new section to part IX to be appropriately  
3       designated and to read as follows:

4       "§201-       State film liaison; establishment. (a) There  
5       is established within the creative industries division of the  
6       department a state film liaison to plan, develop, and execute a  
7       statewide film industry development strategy to include all  
8       counties in the State for the purposes of establishing a  
9       collaborative film industry development program.

10       (b) The state film liaison shall be appointed by the  
11       director of business, economic development, and tourism without  
12       regard to chapter 76.

13       (c) Each position existing within the film branch of the  
14       creative industries division of the department as of the  
15       effective date of this Act shall retain the civil service status  
16       and duties of the respective position."



1       SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general  
2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$65,000 or so much  
3 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 to  
4 establish and fill one full-time equivalent (1.00 FTE) state  
5 film liaison position exempt from chapter 76, Hawaii Revised  
6 Statutes.

7       The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of  
8 business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes of  
9 this Act.

10       SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

11       SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



**Report Title:**

DBEDT; Creative Industries Division; State Film Liaison;  
Appropriation

**Description:**

Establishes the state film liaison to plan, develop, and execute a statewide film industry development strategy for purposes of establishing a collaborative film industry development program. Appropriates funds for the state film liaison. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD2)

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