A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 602-51, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended to read as follows: 3 "§602-51 How constituted. The intermediate appellate court shall consist of a chief judge and [five] six associate judges. The chief judge, who shall be specifically selected, 5 shall supervise the administrative duties of the court." 6 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$478,326 or so much 8 9 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 to the 10 judiciary for an additional intermediate appellate court 11 associate judge, which shall be allocated as follows: 12 \$214,788 for the establishment of one permanent full-(1)13 time equivalent (1.0 FTE) intermediate appellate court associate judge position; 14 15 (2) \$86,688 for the establishment of one permanent full-16
 - time equivalent (1.0 FTE) judicial assistant position;
- \$134,400 for the establishment of two permanent full-17 (3) time equivalent (2.0 FTE) law clerk positions; and 18

- 1 (4) \$42,450 for equipment, books, and furniture for the
- new associate judge's chambers.
- 3 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the judiciary for
- 4 the purposes of this Act.
- 5 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 7 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.

S.B. NO. 5.D. 2 H.D. 1

Report Title:

Intermediate Court of Appeals; Membership; Appropriation

Description:

Increases the number of associate judges on the Intermediate Court of Appeals from five to six. Appropriates funds. (CD1)

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