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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE BONDS TO ASSIST SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL.

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

SECTION 1. The legislature finds and declares that the
 issuance of special purpose revenue bonds under this Act is in
 the public interest and for the public health, safety, and
 general welfare.

5 SECTION 2. Pursuant to part VIII, chapter 39A, Hawaii 6 Revised Statutes, the department of budget and finance, with the approval of the governor, is authorized to issue special purpose 7 8 revenue bonds in a total amount not to exceed \$ , in 9 one or more series, for the purpose of assisting Saint Joseph 10 School, a Hawaii nonprofit corporation, in planning, designing, 11 constructing, reconstructing, renovating, acquiring, equipping, 12 and improving educational facilities for Saint Joseph School. 13 The legislature hereby finds and determines that planning, 14 designing, constructing, reconstructing, renovating, acquiring, equipping, and improving educational facilities constitute a 15 16 project as defined in part VIII, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised

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Statutes, and the financing thereof is assistance to a not-for profit private enterprise sectarian elementary and secondary
 school that serves the public.

SECTION 3. The special purpose revenue bonds and the
refunding special purpose revenue bonds issued under this Act
shall be issued pursuant to part VIII, chapter 39A, Hawaii
Revised Statutes, relating to the power to issue special purpose
revenue bonds to assist not-for-profit private sectarian
elementary schools and secondary schools that serve the general
public.

11 SECTION 4. The special purpose revenue bonds issued under 12 this Act may be issued in one or more series for a single 13 project, multiple projects, a single-project party, or multipleproject parties pursuant to the authority of this Act and any 14 15 one or more other separate Acts of the legislature pursuant to 16 part VIII, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, and the 17 department of budget and finance may combine into a single issue 18 of special purpose revenue bonds, in one or more series, two or 19 more proposed issues of special purpose revenue bonds to be 20 issued pursuant to part VIII, chapter 39A, Hawaii Revised 21 Statutes, separately authorized, in the total amount not to

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exceed the aggregate of the proposed separate issues of the
 special purpose revenue bonds.

3 SECTION 5. The department of budget and finance is authorized, from time to time, including times subsequent to 4 5 June 30, 2027, to issue special purpose revenue bonds in 6 whatever principal amounts the department shall determine to be 7 necessary to refund the special purpose revenue bonds authorized 8 in section 2 and to refund special purpose revenue bonds 9 authorized in this section, regardless of whether the 10 outstanding special purpose revenue bonds or refunding special 11 purpose revenue bonds have matured or are the subject of 12 redemption or whether the refunding special purpose revenue 13 bonds shall be bonds for the multi-project programs described in 14 section 2. In making this determination, the department shall 15 comply with federal law relating to the exemption from federal 16 income taxation of the interest on bonds of the nature 17 authorized by this section.

18 SECTION 6. The authorization to issue special purpose19 revenue bonds under this Act shall lapse on June 30, 2027.

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SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.

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#### Description:

Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to assist Saint Joseph School in planning, designing, constructing, reconstructing, renovating, acquiring, equipping, and improving educational facilities.

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