A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO JURY DUTY.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 612-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
- 3 "(a) Each juror or prospective juror shall be paid [\$30]
- 4 \$50 for each day of actual attendance at court. In addition,
- 5 each juror or prospective juror shall be paid the higher of
- 6 either:
- 7 (1) 33 cents for each mile actually and necessarily
- 8 traveled in going to and from court; or
- 9 (2) The cost of an adult bus fare to and from the court.
- 10 A person who appears at the time for which that person is
- 11 summoned to court for jury duty may be allowed the mileage fee
- 12 or bus fare although the person, upon that person's request, is
- 13 subsequently excused or exempted from jury service."
- 14 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
- 15 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
- 16 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2025-2026 and

- 1 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
- 2 year 2026-2027 to carry out the purposes of this Act.
- 3 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the judiciary
- 4 for 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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed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, 3000.

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Report Title:

Judiciary Package; Jury Duty; Juror and Prospective Juror Compensation; Appropriation

Description:

Increases the amount each juror or prospective juror is paid for each day of actual attendance at court. Appropriates funds. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)

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