ACT 18

An Act Appropriating the Sum of \$150,000 for the Survey and Study of Plans for the Development of Tourist Destination Areas in Each County.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. It is the purpose of this Act to provide a complete survey, study, general plans and program for the development of tourist destination areas in the state to meet the growing tourist industry.

SECTION 2. The state planning office shall undertake and conduct such survey and study and prepare the plans to implement the same.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated from the general revenues of the state, the sum of \$150,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to be expended by the state planning office to carry out the purpose of this Act. No portion of the funds appropriated to the state planning office by Act 224 of the Session Laws of Hawaii 1959 shall be expended for surveys, studies, general plans and programs contemplated by this Act.

SECTION 4. The state planning office shall make the following survey and study:

- a. Ascertain and determine those elements and characteristics that make up and constitute a tourist destination area in Hawaii.
- b. Survey and study successful tourist destination areas in other parts of the world and ascertain and determine those elements and characteristics that make up and constitute such successful tourist destination areas.
- c. Survey and study all other matters pertaining to tourist destination areas.
- d. Prepare plans for the development of destination areas indicating the general layout and required public works appropriations to develop such areas and other related factors.
- e. Recommend a program of action for development of tourist destination areas in each county.

SECTION 5. The state planning office shall submit its report on the survey and study and shall also submit such plans and a recommended development program as required under this Act to the legislature within five days prior to its regular budget session convening in February 1960.

SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on its approval.

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