

ACT 15

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Judiciary Department; Making Supplementary Appropriations Out of the General Revenues to Cover Certain Deficiencies for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1966.

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

SECTION 1. This bill is hereby declared to be an urgency measure deemed necessary in the public interest within the meaning of section 11 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii. The following is a statement of the facts constituting such urgency: Act 97, Session Laws of Hawaii 1965, which became effective May

29, 1965, appropriated a certain designated sum to the judiciary department for the administration and operation of district courts.

To the best of its ability, the department is trying to operate within the appropriated amount until the end of the fiscal year 1965-1966. However, the amount appropriated is not sufficient to cover the operation of the district courts for the 13-month period of operation and funds were not appropriated for rental of space occupied by the district courts. The department now expects that expenditures for the operation of the district courts will exceed its appropriation under Act 97. To avoid a breakdown in judicial services, it is urgent that this bill be enacted.

SECTION 2. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the judiciary department for the purpose hereinafter specified, in addition to any appropriations made for the same purposes by any other act, out of moneys in the treasury received from general revenues, the sum of \$130,000 for the administration and operation of the district courts.

SECTION 3. All unexpended and unencumbered balances of the appropriation made by this bill as of the close of business on June 30, 1966, shall lapse into the general fund of the State.

SECTION 4. This bill shall take effect upon its approval.
(Approved April 5, 1966.) **H.B. 51.**