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S.B. NO. 2942

A Bill for an Act Relating to the General Fund Expenditure Ceiling Reporting Dates.

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

SECTION 1. Section 37-94, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§37-94 Director of finance; duties. A preliminary estimate of the state growth and expenditure ceiling shall be determined by the director of finance as of August [1] 15 of each year. The final estimate of the state growth and expenditure ceiling to be used by the legislature to make appropriations from the general fund in each year shall be determined by the director of finance as of November [1] 15 of each year. Upon the determination of both the preliminary estimate and the final estimate of the state growth and expenditure ceiling, the director shall inform the governor, chief justice, and the legislature, and shall give, twice in successive weeks, statewide public notice of the state growth and expenditure ceiling and the maximum dollar amount that may be appropriated from the general fund [twice in successive weeks].”

SECTION 2. Section 37-113.1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§37-113.1 Council on revenues; estimate of total personal income. The council shall prepare an estimate of the total state personal income for the calendar year in progress and, when necessary, for the next succeeding calendar year for which such income has not been determined or published and shall report the estimate and any revision thereto to the director of finance, the governor, the chief justice, and the legislature each [July 20] August 5 and [October 20.] November 5.”

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SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved April 20, 2000.)