A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE, ITS OFFICERS, OR ITS EMPLOYEES.

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

1	PART I			
2	SECTION 1. The following sums or so much thereof as may be			
3	necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008 are appropriated out of the			
4	general revenues of the State of Hawaii to the department of the			
5	attorney general for the purpose of satisfying claims for			
6	legislative relief as to the following named persons, firms,			
7	corporations, and entities, for claims against the State or its			
8	officers or employees for the overpayment of taxes, or for			
9	refunds, reimbursements, payments of judgments or settlements,			
10	or other liabilities, in the amounts set forth opposite their			
11	names:			
12 13 14	JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS:			
15 16	1. DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES:			
17 18 19	Reale v. State of Hawaii, et al. \$ 50,000.00 Civil No. 06-1-0928-05, First Circuit Settlement			
20	SUBTOTAL: \$ 50,000.00			

1 2	2.	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:		
3 4 5		Viela v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 06-1-0268-02, First Circuit	\$	60,000.00 Settlement
6		SUBTOTAL:	\$	60,000.00
7 8 9	3.	DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:		
10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18		In the Matter of the Arbitration Between Hawaii State Teachers Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO and Kihei Public Charter High School (Grievance of John Loomis), Case No. 03-18	\$	25,000.00 Settlement
		Comeaux v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 06-00341, USDC	\$	5,000.00 Settlement
19 20 21		Graham v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 06-1-0013(3), Second Circuit	\$	30,000.00 Settlement
22 23 24 25		Huddleston, et al. v. Kamaaina Care, Inc., et al., Civil No. 06-1-0077, Third Circuit	\$	74,500.00 Settlement
26 27 28		Kaleuati, et al. v. Tonda, et al. \$ Civil No. 07-00504, U.S.D.C.		185,000.00 Settlement
29 30		SUBTOTAL:	\$	319,500.00
31 32	4.	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:		
33 34 35 36		Enchanted Lakes Residential Association v. Dept. of Health Mediation Center of the Pacific No. 2007-0939	\$	4,800.00 Settlement
37 38		SUBTOTAL:		4,800.00
39 40 41	5.	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT:	<u>1</u> 2	_,
42 43		Walsh, et al. v. City and County of Honolulu, et al.	\$	50,000.00

1 2		Civil No. 05-00378DAE, USDC		Settlement
3		SUBTOTAL:	\$	50,000.00
4 5	6.	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES:		
6 7 8		Aihara v. Dept. of Human Services Civil No. 05-1-0514-03, First Circuit	\$	45,000.00 Settlement
9 10 11 12		Kahoohanohano, et al. v. Department Human Services, et al. Civil No. 03-1-0012(1), Second Circuit	\$	833,153.80 Judgment
13 14		and		
15 16 17		Kahoohanohano, et al. v. Drelich, et al. Civil No. 03-1-0257(1), Second Circuit		
18 19 20		Ruiz, et al. v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 04-1-1739-09, First Circuit	\$	350,000.00 Settlement
21 22 23		SUBTOTAL:	\$1	,228,153.80
24 25	7.	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:		
26 27 28 29 30		Bateman, et al. v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 06-1-1907-11, First Circuit Amount of judgment: \$55,573.40 4% interest from 12/13/07: \$ 1,299.77	\$	56,873.17 Judgment
31 32 33		Branco v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 06-1-0755-05, First Circuit	\$	12,357.46 Settlement
34 35 36		Gonsalves v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 06-1-1843-10, First Circuit	\$	24,000.00 Settlement
37 38		Johnson v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 06-1-1430-08, First Circuit	\$	15,000.00 Settlement
39 40 41 42		Jones v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 06-1-0194-02, First Circuit	\$	15,220.18 Judgment

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1 2 3 4 5	<pre>Kimberly v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 95-0718-03, First Circuit Amount of judgment: \$87,245.58 4% interest from 5/1/07: \$ 4,373.44</pre>	\$	91,619.02 Judgment
6 7 8	Kimberly v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 95-0718-03, First Circuit	\$	225,000.00 Settlement
9 10 11	Lopez v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 05-1-0042(2), Second Circuit	\$	22,500.00 Settlement
12 13 14 15	Pregil v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 06-1-0772-05, First Circuit Amount of Judgment: \$10,038.47 4% interest from 4/11/07: \$54.33	\$	10,092.80 Judgment
16 17 18 19 20	Sampaio v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 06-1-0751-05, First Circuit Amount of judgment: \$24,770.30 4% interest from 2/22/08: \$473.75	\$	25,244.05 Judgment
20 21 22 23	Segawa v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 05-1-1562-09, First Circuit	\$	50,000.00 Settlement
24	SUBTOTAL:	\$	547,906.68
25 26	MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS:		
27 28	Estate of Audrey Marie Au	\$	500.00
29 30	Mutsue T. Kimata	\$	131.40
31 32	Dennis Donovan	\$	2,975.20
33 34	Cynthia C. Matsumura	\$	125.00
35 36	Karen Y. Nakamura	\$	484.00
37 38	SUBTOTAL:	\$	4,215.60
39 40 41	TOTAL (SECTION 1):	\$2	,264,576.08

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1 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department 2 of the attorney general for the purposes of this Act. 3 PART II 4 SECTION 2. The following sums or so much thereof as may be 5 necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008 are appropriated out of the 6 state highway fund for the purpose of satisfying claims for 7 legislative relief as to the following named persons, for claims 8 against the State or its officers or employees for payments of 9 judgments or settlements, or other liabilities, in the amount 10 set forth opposite their names: 11 JUDGMENTS AGAINST THE STATE AMOUNT 12 AND SETTLEMENTS OF CLAIMS: 13 14 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, HIGHWAYS DIVISION: 15 16 Antonio v. State of Hawaii \$ 30,000.00 17 Civil No. 06-1-0131-01, First Circuit Settlement 18 19 Carvalho v. State of Hawaii \$ 30,000.00 Civil No. 05-1-2155-12, First Circuit 20 Settlement 21 and 22 Carvalho v. State of Hawaii 23 Civil No. 06-00677, USDC 24 25 Dunn, et al. v. Department of 26 \$ 930,964.76 Transportation, et al. 27 Civil No. 04-1-1330-07, First Circuit Judgment 28 Amount of Judgment: \$911,051.16 29 4% interest from 1/14/08: \$19,913.60 30 31 Filimoehala, et al. v. City and County of 32 Honolulu, et al. \$ 2,600,000.00 33 Civil No. 04-1-1880-10, First Circuit Settlement

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1 2 3 4	Hashimoto v. Liftee, et al. Civil No. 99-2462-06, First Circuit	\$	250,000.00 Settlement
5 6 7	Hoffelt, et al. v. Tesoro, et al. Civil No. 05-1-0480(3), Second Circuit	\$	150,000.00 Settlement
8 9 10	Klink, et al. v. State of Hawaii Civil No. 98-039, Third Circuit	\$	816,658.58 Judgment
11 12 13	Madriaga, et al. v. Baldwin, et al. Civil No. 04-1-0327(3), Second Circuit	\$	25,000.00 Settlement
14 15	Scharsch v. State of Hawaii, et al. Civil No. 05-1-0435-03, First Circuit	\$	20,000.00 Settlement
16 17 18	Schlosser v. Lat, et al. Civil No. 05-1-0474(3), Second Circuit	\$	40,000.00 Settlement
19	SUBTOTAL:	\$	4,892,623.34
20	TOTAL (SECTION 2)	\$	4,892,623.34
21	The sums appropriated shall be expended by the	ne	department
22	of transportation, highways division, for the purp	pos	ses of this
23	Act.		
24	SECTION 3. The sums hereinabove may be paid	to	the the
25	respective persons, or for the satisfaction or settlement of the		
26	respectively identified cases, and in several amou	ınt	S
27	hereinabove set forth or in lesser amounts deemed appropriate,		
28	upon checks issued by the comptroller; provided departments must		
29	obtain the approval of the attorney general before payment of		
30	any claim can be made.		

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- 1 SECTION 4. Notwithstanding the sums hereinabove stated as
- 2 interest upon judgments against the State, payment of interest
- 3 shall be limited to the period from the date of judgment, if
- 4 applicable, to thirty days after the effective date of this
- 5 part, as provided in section 662-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for
- 6 those cases to which the statute applies.
- 7 PART III
- 8 SECTION 5. All unexpended and unencumbered balances of the
- 9 appropriations made in this Act as of the close of business on
- 10 June 30, 2009, shall lapse.
- 11 SECTION 6. If any provision of this Act, or the
- 12 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held
- 13 invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or
- 14 applications of the Act, which can be given effect without the
- 15 invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions
- 16 of this Act are severable.
- 17 SECTION 7. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Appropriations; Claims Against the State

Description:

Makes appropriations for claims against the State, its officers, and its employees. (CD1)