

JAN 22 2007

A BILL FOR AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Although the legislature removed the
2 requirement that the chief election officer shall distribute a
3 digest for constitutional amendments, many voters still hold the
4 office of elections responsible for the dissemination of
5 educational information as it relates to constitutional
6 amendments.

7 The purpose of this Act is to provide funding to allow the
8 office of elections to disseminate information regarding the
9 constitutional amendments to the public to allow them to make an
10 informed and educated decision.

11 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general
12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$100,000, or so much
13 thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008, and the
14 same sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year
15 2008-2009, for the distribution of educational constitutional
16 amendment digests to voters.

17 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the office of
18 elections for the purposes of this Act.

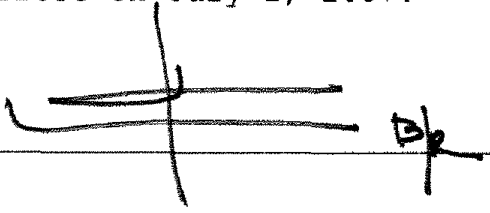


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1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2007.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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Report Title:

Office of Elections; Appropriation

Description:

Appropriates funds to allow the office of elections to disseminate information regarding proposed constitutional amendments to the public.

