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# SENATE RESOLUTION

URGING THE STATE TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF THE COMPREHENSIVE INFORMATION SYSTEM ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO ACT 54, SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII 2011, TO FURTHER INCLUDE PUBLIC FACILITIES, THEREBY CREATING A COMPREHENSIVE ASSET MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR PUBLIC LANDS AND PUBLIC FACILITIES.

1 WHEREAS, Act 54, Session Laws of Hawaii 2011, establishes a  
2 comprehensive information system for public lands to be used for  
3 the inventory and maintenance of information relating to the  
4 public land trust, also known as ceded lands, and other state  
5 lands; and

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7 WHEREAS, the land inventory required to be taken and  
8 information to be maintained will be important tools to assist  
9 the State to manage its public lands; and

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11 WHEREAS, all state agencies are directed to assist the  
12 Department of Land and Natural Resources in facilitating the  
13 establishment of the comprehensive information system for public  
14 lands; and

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16 WHEREAS, the Department of Land and Natural Resources shall  
17 also determine what other information would be useful to include  
18 in the inventory; and

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20 WHEREAS, the Department of Accounting and General Services  
21 is responsible for managing and supervising a wide range of  
22 state programs and activities including:

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24 (1) Maintenance and repair of state buildings and  
25 facilities through its Central Services Division; and  
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27 (2) Comprehensively managing the information processing  
28 and telecommunication systems in order to provide  
29 services to all state agencies through its Information  
30 and Communication Services Division; and  
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32 WHEREAS, insufficient information on underutilized land and  
33 public facilities is exacerbating a loss of revenues because



1 inventories and necessary data required are not centralized and  
2 accessible to all decision makers in order to make sound  
3 economic decisions; and  
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5 WHEREAS, a comprehensive information system that is a  
6 centralized database which can be accessed by all state  
7 authorized users to ensure accurate and consistent utilization  
8 of state lands and public facilities in the best economically  
9 responsible manner is necessary; and  
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11 WHEREAS, given the dire economic situation of the State, it  
12 is important that all state agencies work together to ensure  
13 that our lands and facilities are being used to their fullest  
14 potential; now, therefore,  
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16 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-sixth  
17 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2012,  
18 that the Department of Land and Natural Resources is urged to  
19 expand the scope of the comprehensive information system  
20 established pursuant to Act 54, Session Laws of Hawaii 2011, to  
21 inventory and maintain information about the lands of the public  
22 land trust described in section 5(f) of the Admission Act and  
23 article XII, section 4, of the Hawaii State Constitution to  
24 further include public facilities, thereby creating a  
25 comprehensive asset management system for public lands and  
26 facilities; and  
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28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Land and  
29 Natural Resources utilize the resources of the Department of  
30 Accounting and General Services to coordinate and develop the  
31 comprehensive asset management system; and  
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33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
34 Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the Board of  
35 Land and Natural Resources and State Comptroller.

