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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.

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

1           SECTION 1. There is appropriated out of the general  
2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                    or so  
3 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2017-2018 to  
4 the Hawaii ant lab of the Pacific cooperative studies unit of  
5 the university of Hawaii, to support mitigation of the little  
6 fire ant, which shall be allocated as follows:

7           (1) \$                    for two full-time equivalent (2.0 FTE)  
8                   operator positions and one full-time equivalent (1.0  
9                   FTE) supervisor position;

10          (2) \$                    for a vehicle and operating costs of  
11                   public outreach and treatment;

12          (3) \$                    for ant baits;

13          (4) \$                    for field equipment and personal  
14                   protective equipment; and

15          (5) \$                    for computers and printers.

16           The sum appropriated shall be expended by the university of  
17 Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.



1 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.

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**Report Title:**

University of Hawaii; Hawaii Ant Lab; Little Fire Ant;  
Appropriation

**Description:**

Appropriates funds to the Hawaii ant lab for personnel and  
equipment to support mitigation of the little fire ant. (SD1)

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