A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I:

SECTION 1. Act 150, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018, is amended by amending sections 1 through 3 to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. The Hawaii housing finance and development corporation shall institute proceedings for the condemnation of the ground lease for the Front Street Apartments [affordable housing project] in Lahaina, Maui pursuant to chapter 101, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of $250,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 for an appraisal and other preparations for instituting the condemnation proceedings under section 1; provided that no funds authorized pursuant to this section shall be made available unless the county of Maui [provides] makes available dollar-for-dollar matching funds.
The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation for the purposes of this section.

SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the rental housing revolving fund the sum of $30,000,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2018-2019 to expedite and complete the construction of the Leialii affordable housing project in Lahaina, Maui, by [2021] _____.

The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation for the purposes of this section."

SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the dwelling unit revolving fund the sum of $________ or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 for the acquisition of the ground lease of the property known as the Front Street Apartments in Lahaina, Maui, tax map key number (2) 4-5-003-013.

The sum appropriated shall be expended by the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation for the purposes of this Act.

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

INTRODUCED BY: _________________________

BY REQUEST

JAN 22 2019
Report Title:
Affordable housing; Front Street Apartments; Appropriation

Description:
Makes technical and housekeeping amendments to Act 150, Session Laws of Hawaii 2018. Authorizes the expenditure of funds from the Dwelling Unit Revolving Fund for the acquisition of the ground lease on the Front Street Apartments property.

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DEPARTMENT: Business, Economic Development, and Tourism

TITLE: A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING.

PURPOSE: To make technical and housekeeping amendments to Act 150, Session Laws of Hawaii (SLH) 2018.

MEANS: Amend sections 1, 2 and 3 of Act 150, SLH 2018.

JUSTIFICATION: This is a placeholder measure to make any needed amendments to Act 150, SLH 2018 if they are needed to carry out its purposes. It also authorizes HHFDC to use an unspecified amount from the Dwelling Unit Revolving Fund to acquire the ground lease to Front Street Apartments as part of the effort to preserve it as affordable rental housing.

Impact on the public: The program will help preserve the inventory of affordable rental housing in Lahaina, Maui.

Impact on the department and other agencies: Any necessary technical amendments to Act 150 will make it easier for the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation to effectuate its purpose.

GENERAL FUND: None.

OTHER FUNDS: $________ from the Dwelling Unit Revolving Fund.

PPBS PROGRAM DESIGNATION: BED 160.

OTHER AFFECTED AGENCIES: To be determined.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon approval.