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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,  
AND TOURISM.

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

1           SECTION 1. The State of Hawaii has formal sister state  
2 relations with eighteen foreign states. Significant  
3 anniversaries are planned to be recognized and celebrated in  
4 2020 with Okinawa, Japan and Ilocos Norte, Philippines, and in  
5 2021 with Fukuoka, Japan; Jeju, Korea; and Ilocos Sur, Cebu, and  
6 Isabella, Philippines.

7           Additional funding for the department of business, economic  
8 development, and tourism international sister state relations  
9 program is needed to support the business and trade missions;  
10 conferences, symposiums, and seminars; and educational and  
11 cultural exchanges to be conducted in conjunction with the  
12 respective sister state anniversary recognition celebrations.

13           The purpose of this Act is to provide support for the  
14 international sister state relations program of the department  
15 of business, economic development, and tourism.



1 SECTION 2. 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 2020-2021 for  
4 the support of international sister state relations (BED100).

5 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of  
6 business, economic development, and tourism for the purposes of  
7 this Act.

8 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2051.



S.B. NO. 3088  
S.D. 1

**Report Title:**

Budget; Department of Business, Economic Development, and  
Tourism; International Affairs; Operating Expenses;  
Appropriation

**Description:**

Makes an appropriation for operating expenses of DBEDT. (SD1)

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