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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO GOVERNMENT REVENUES.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 46, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended  
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to  
3 read as follows:

4           "§46-       Grants-in-aid; requirements. (a) Prior to  
5 appropriating moneys as a grant-in-aid to a county, the  
6 legislature shall consider whether the county, including a  
7 county agency, has maximized all of its sources of revenue, such  
8 as by limiting or eliminating the use of tax credits or tax  
9 exemptions.

10           (b) Twenty days prior to the convening of each regular  
11 session, each county that provides tax credits or tax exemptions  
12 shall submit a report to the legislature with a calculation of  
13 the revenues that the county did not receive as a result of each  
14 tax credit or tax exemption provided by the county in the  
15 preceding fiscal year.





# H.B. NO. 353

**Report Title:**

Government Revenues; Counties; Grant-in-aid; Tax Credits; Tax Exemptions

**Description:**

Requires the legislature to consider whether counties have maximized their existing sources of revenue prior to appropriating moneys as a grant-in-aid.

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