

STATE OF HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS

REPORT TO THE STATE LEGISLATURE ON SECTION 63.1 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
PROVISION OF ACT 158, RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET, OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH
LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII, 2008

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REPORT REQUIREMENT OF ACT 158, SLH 2008,
SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2008

"SECTION 63.1. Provided that of the trust fund appropriation for planning and development for Hawaiian homesteads (HHL 602), the sum of \$100,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2008-2009 shall be expended to construct a monument to be placed in Kalawao county on Molokai to honor Hansen's disease patients sent to Kalaupapa; provided further that the funds shall not be expended for any other purpose; provided further that any unexpended funds shall lapse to the Hawaiian home lands trust fund; provided further that the department shall prepare an expenditure report that lists the breakdown of how the funds were expended; and provided further that the department shall submit the report to the legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of the 2009 regular session."

The Department of Hawaiian Home Lands (DHHL), as expending agency, is in coordination with the National Park Service in the funding of the Kalaupapa monument. There is a legislative bill in Congress (Senate Bill 22, Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009, Section 7108. Kalaupapa National Historic Park) by the National Park Service that proposes to authorize Ka 'Ohana O Kalaupapa, a non-profit organization consisting of patient residents at Kalaupapa National Historical Park, and their family members and friends, to establish a memorial at a suitable location or locations approved by the Secretary at Kalawao or Kalaupapa within the boundaries of the Kalaupapa National Historical Park located on the island of Molokai to honor and perpetuate the memory of those individuals who were forcibly relocated to the Kalaupapa Peninsula from 1866 to 1969. Expenditure of funds is pending the passage of this bill by Congress and enactment by the President.

DHHL has allotted funds from the Hawaiian Home Operating Fund, a DHHL trust fund, and will expend upon enactment of Senate Bill 22.