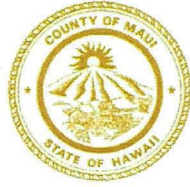


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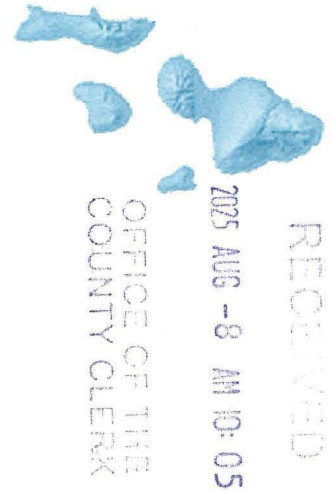
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[Signature] 8-8-25

Mayor Date

For Transmittal to:

Honorable Alice L. Lee, Chair
Maui County Council
200 South High Street
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Lee:

SUBJECT: A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3.48.820, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX CREDIT

In response to BFED Committee Chair Yuki Lei K. Sugimura's November 18, 2024 request regarding real property tax exemptions, the Department of Finance is transmitting a proposed bill entitled, "A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 3.48.820, MAUI COUNTY CODE, RELATING TO THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX CREDIT." May we please request this bill be placed on the next Council meeting agenda.

The purpose of the proposed bill is to amend Section 3.48.820, Maui County Code, to simplify the application process for older applicants who file for the Circuit Breaker Credit annually.

For Fiscal Year 2025-26, there are 405 taxpayers qualified for the Circuit Breaker program. About 40% of recipients could be eligible for this benefit. This amendment will not impact revenue.

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Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or Deputy Director Maria Zielinski at extension 7722.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'MA' with a stylized flourish.

MARCY MARTIN
Director of Finance

Attachments