



REVENUE TRENDS – FEBRUARY 2009

Tax revenues for the month of February 2009 totaled \$352.7 million. Eight months into the 2009 fiscal year, tax collections are down 17.6% compared to the same period in the previous fiscal year.

General excise and use tax (GET) collections totaled \$203.1 million in February. For the year-to-date FY 2009, GET collections decreased by 7.5 % compared to the same period in the previous year.

Transient accommodations tax (TAT) collections were \$20.0 million for the month. For the first eight months into FY 2009 TAT collections are down by 9.2% compared to the same period last year.

Individual income tax collections amounted to \$52.3 million for February. For the first eight months of FY2009 they are down by 3.8% compared to year-to-date last fiscal year.

Corporate income tax collections for the year-to-date FY 2009 were down by \$11.7 million.

Taxes allocated to Honolulu county surcharge collections for February 2009 totaled \$14.8 million.

STATE GENERAL FUND

State general fund tax collections for the month of February 2009 totaled \$285.8 million. For the first eight months of fiscal year 2009, general fund deposits are down by 6.4% over the same period last year.

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