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### A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO GOVERNMENTAL EFFICIENCY.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 26, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
- 2 by adding a new section to part II to be appropriately
- 3 designated and to read as follows:

4 '	'§ <b>26-</b>	Intergovernmental	agreements	and	partnerships.
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- 5 (a) A department or agency established under this chapter may
- 6 <u>enter into:</u>
- 7 (1) Intergovernmental agreements with other governmental
- 8 bodies; or
- 9 (2) Partnership agreements with private-sector entities or
  10 nonprofit organizations,
- 11 to achieve statutorily mandated goals.
- 12 (b) Each intergovernmental or partnership agreement shall:
- 13 (1) Be consistent with the statutory mandates of the
- 14 department or agency;
- 15 (2) Promote public benefits and align with state policy
- 16 goals;

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1	(3) Ensure tra	ansparency, accountability, and compliance				
2	2 with chapt	ter 103D; and				
3	3 (4) Be reviewe	ed and approved as to form and legality by				
4	the attorn	ney general.				
5	(c) Each depar	rtment or agency shall submit to the				
6	legislature a report on the intergovernmental and partnership					
7	agreements entered into by the department or agency no later					
8	than twenty days prior to the convening of each session. The					
9	9 report shall detail	report shall detail the scope, purpose, and outcome of each				
10	0 <u>intergovernmental ar</u>	intergovernmental and partnership agreement entered into by the				
11	department or agency."					
12	2 SECTION 2. New	w statutory material is underscored.				
13	SECTION 3. Thi	is Act shall take effect on July 1, 2025.				
14	4	INTRODUCED BY: DANABLE				

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#### Report Title:

Intergovernmental Agreements; Partnerships; Executive and Administrative Departments and Agencies; Authorization; Report

#### Description:

Authorizes Executive and Administrative Departments and Agencies to enter into intergovernmental and partnership agreements with private sector entities, nonprofit organizations, and other governmental bodies. Requires annual report to the Legislature.

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