

## GOV. MSG. NO. 688

## **EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS**

HONOLULU

LINDA LINGLE GOVERNOR

May 22, 2009

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa, President and Members of the Senate Twenty-Fifth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Madam President and Members of the Senate:

This is to inform you that on May 22, 2009, the following bill was signed into law:

HB632 HD1 SD1 CD1

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO POLICY ADVISORY BOARD ON VETERANS' SERVICES.

ACT 071 (09)

Sincerely,

LINDA LING**K**E.

TW ENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, 2009

STATE OF HAWAII

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RELATING TO POLICY ADVISORY BOARD ON VETERANS' SERVICES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 363-3.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows: 3 There shall be a policy advisory board on veterans' services within the office of veterans' services. The board 4 5 shall consist of nine members appointed by the governor as provided in section 26-34. Five members shall be veterans, and 6 there shall be at least one member residing in each of the 7 8 counties of Maui and Kauai. The county of Hawaii shall be 9 represented by two members, one member shall reside in east 10 Hawaii and one member shall reside in west Hawaii. Four members 11 shall reside in the city and county of Honolulu. At least three members shall be women. The director of health, the director of 12 human services, the director of labor and industrial relations, 13 and the adjutant general shall serve as ex-officio non-voting 14 members. The director for the office of veterans' services 15 shall serve as an ex-officio voting member. The chairperson of 16 17 the board shall be elected by the majority of the board. 18 members shall serve without compensation but shall be allowed HB632 CD1 HMS 2009-3890

- 1 their actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance
- 2 of their duties."
- 3 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 4 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2009.

APPROVED this 22 day of

MAY

, 2009

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII