A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SERVICE OF PROCESS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 634, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated 3 and to read as follows: 4 "§634- Service within a condominium or planned 5 community. (a) Each board of directors of an association of 6 apartment owners governed by chapter 514A or chapter 514B and 7 the board of directors of a planned community association 8 governed by chapter 421J shall designate a representative on the 9 premises of the condominium or planned community who shall be 10 authorized to provide entry to any duly appointed server of process and orders to allow the server to serve any summons, 11 12 subpoena, notice, or order on any person within the condominium 13 or planned community. 14 (b) The board of directors of an association of apartment 15 owners or the board of directors of a planned community 16 association shall register the name and address of its

designated representative for purposes of this section on a form

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- 1 to be prescribed and prepared by the department of commerce and
- 2 consumer affairs.
- 3 (c) The department of commerce and consumer affairs may
- 4 adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91 to effect the purposes of
- 5 this section."
- 6 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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Report Title:

Service of Process; Condominiums; Planned Community Associations

Description:

Requires association of apartment owners of a condominium or the Board of Directors of a planned community association to designate a representative on the property that is authorized to provide entry for a duly authorized process server.