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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HOUSING.

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

SECTION 1. Section 356D-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

"(a) There is created a board of directors consisting of eleven members, of whom nine shall be public members appointed by the governor as provided in section 26-34. Public members shall be appointed from each of the counties of Honolulu, Hawaii, Maui, and Kauai. At least ~~[one]~~ two public ~~[member]~~ members shall be ~~[a person]~~ persons who ~~[is]~~ are directly assisted by the authority under the federal low-rent public housing or federal section 8 tenant-based housing assistance payments program while serving on the board. One public member shall be an advocate for low-income or homeless persons. One public member shall be a person with a disability or an advocate for persons with disabilities. The public members of the board shall serve four-year staggered terms; provided that the initial appointments shall be as follows: four members shall be appointed for four years; three members shall be appointed for three years; and two members shall be appointed for two years.



1 The director of human services, or a designated representative,
2 and a representative of the governor's office, shall be ex
3 officio voting members. The authority shall be headed by the
4 board."

5 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title:

Hawaii Public Housing Authority; Board of Directors; Number of Resident Public Members

Description:

Increases the minimum number of members on the board of directors of the Hawaii public housing authority who are directly assisted by the authority under the federal low-rent public housing or federal section 8 tenant-based housing assistance payments program from one to two.

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