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## EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

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NEIL ABERCROMBIE

June 20, 2011

The Honorable Shan Tsutsui, President and Members of the Senate Twenty-Sixth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 The Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker and Members of the House Twenty-Sixth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Tsutsui, Speaker Say and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on June 20, 2011, the following bill was signed into law:

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RELATING TO LIQUOR LIABILITY INSURANCE. Act 138 (11)

NEIL ABERCROMBIE Governor, State of Hawaii

Approved by the Governor

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JUN 2 0 2011 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE, 2011 STATE OF HAWAII

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO LIQUOR LIABILITY INSURANCE.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 281-31, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (r) to read as follows: 3 "(r) Restaurants, [retailers,] retail dealers, dispensers, 4 clubs, cabarets, hotels, caterers, brewpubs, condominium hotels, 5 and bring-your-own-beverage establishments licensed under class 6 2, class 4, class 5, class 6, class 11, class 12, class 13, 7 class 14, class 15, and class 17 shall maintain at all times 8 liquor liability insurance coverage in an amount not less than 9 \$1,000,000; provided that convenience minimarts holding a class 10 4 license shall not be required to maintain liquor liability 11 insurance coverage in that amount. Proof of coverage shall be 12 kept on the premises and shall be made available for inspection 13 by the commission at any time during the licensee's regular 14 business hours. In the event of a licensee's failure to obtain 15 or maintain the required coverage, the commission shall refuse 16 to issue or renew a license or shall suspend or terminate the 17 license as appropriate. No license shall be granted,

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reinstated, or renewed until after the required insurance 1 2 coverage is obtained. 3 [For purposes of this subsection: 4 "Convenience minimarts" commonly refer to a neighborhood 5 "mom-and-pop store".]" 6 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New statutory material is underscored. 7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2011. 8

APPROVED this **2**0 day of , 2011 JUN GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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