
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO VOTING.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 11, 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 "§11- Automatic voter registration upon issuance of
5 civil identification card or driver's license; option to
6 decline. The examiner of drivers of each county shall provide
7 the respective county clerk with the voter registration
8 information set forth in section 11-15(a) for each person who,
9 on January 1, 2015, and thereafter, is issued a civil
10 identification card pursuant to section 286-301 or a driver's
11 license pursuant to section 286-109, no later than days
12 after the date of issuance. The county clerk, in accordance
13 with section 11-14, shall immediately register, in the general
14 county register, each person whose information is provided by
15 the examiner of drivers pursuant to this section; provided that
16 the person to be registered:



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- 1 (1) Will be eighteen years of age or older by the date of
- 2 the next election, and is otherwise qualified to be
- 3 registered;
- 4 (2) Is not already registered; and
- 5 (3) Has not, by a written communication submitted pursuant
- 6 to procedures that the chief election officer shall
- 7 establish, affirmatively declined to be registered
- 8 under this section."

9 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

10 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Automatic Voter Registration Upon Issuance of Civil
Identification Card or Driver's License

Description:

Requires counties to automatically register as voters all
qualified persons at the time they are issued a civil
identification card or driver's license.

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