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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 84-17.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by amending subsections (a) and (b) to read as follows:
- 3 "(a) All financial disclosure statements filed by a
- 4 legislator, employee, or delegate to a constitutional convention
- 5 shall be maintained by the state ethics commission during the
- 6 term of office of the legislator, employee, or delegate and for
- 7 a period of six years thereafter. Upon the expiration of the
- 8 six-year period, the financial disclosure statement and all
- 9 paper copies thereof [shall] may be destroyed.
- 10 (b) Upon the expiration of six years after an election for
- 11 which a candidate for state elective office or a constitutional
- 12 convention has filed a financial disclosure statement, the state
- 13 ethics commission [shall] may destroy the candidate's financial
- 14 disclosure statement and all paper copies thereof.
- 15 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 16 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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### Report Title:

Paper Copies; Financial Disclosure Statements; State Ethics Commission

### Description:

Authorizes the state ethics commission to destroy paper copies of financial disclosure statements by legislators, employees, delegates to the constitutional convention, or candidates for state elective office or a constitutional convention after a six-year period.

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