A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO LEGISLATIVE TESTIMONY.

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

There is established a remote testimony 1 (a) task force to develop procedures for the public to submit 2 testimony remotely via the Internet during legislative 3 proceedings. 4 The task force shall be composed of: 5 (b) (1) A member of the senate to be selected by the senate 6 7 president; A member of the house of representatives to be (2) 8 selected by the house speaker; 9 (3) The senate clerk; 10 11 (4) The house clerk; A representative from the senate data systems office; 12 (5) A representative from the house data systems office; 13 (6) The coordinator of the public access room of the 14 (7) legislative reference bureau; and 15 The chief information officer of the office of 16 (8) enterprise technology services. 17

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- 1 (c) The members of the task force shall elect a
- 2 chairperson from the members.
- 3 (d) The task force shall develop procedures to allow the
- 4 public to submit testimony remotely via the Internet during
- 5 legislative proceedings.
- 6 (e) The task force shall submit a report of its findings
- 7 and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to the
- 8 legislature no later than twenty days prior to the convening of
- 9 the regular session of 2017.
- 10 (f) The task force shall cease to exist upon adjournment
- 11 of the regular session of 2017.
- 12 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Legislative Testimony; Remote Testimony Task Force; Establishment

Description:

Establishes the Remote Testimony Task Force to develop procedures for the public to testify remotely via the Internet during legislative proceedings. Requires a report.

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