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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO POLICE.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 52D-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "[§52D-1] Police commission. A police commission is
- 4 created for each of the counties. The composition, appointment,
- 5 terms of office, staff, powers, duties, and functions of each
- 6 police commission shall be prescribed by the charter of each
- 7 county[-]; provided that the duties shall include the
- 8 establishment of procedures regarding the suspension, removal
- 9 from a specified duty for disciplinary reasons, or termination
- 10 of any police officer."
- 11 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 12 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 13 begun before its effective date.
- 14 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 15 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

1 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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S.B. NO. 109

Report Title:

Law Enforcement; County Police Commissions; Powers and Duties.

Description:

Provides that county police commissions shall have the duty to establish procedures regarding the suspension, removal from a specified duty for disciplinary reasons, or termination of any police officer.

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