## THE SENATE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, 2017 STATE OF HAWAII

**S.B. NO.** 99 S.D. 1 H.D. 1 C.D. 1

# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER PROGRAM.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 46, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
 read as follows:

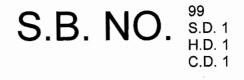
4 "<u>\$46-</u> Housing choice voucher program. No county shall
5 disqualify a legal nonconforming dwelling unit from the housing
6 choice voucher program if the unit meets zoning and building
7 code requirements and other program standards such as health and
8 safety standards."

9 SECTION 2. If any part of this Act is found to be in 10 conflict with federal requirements that are a prescribed 11 condition for the allocation of federal funds to the State, the 12 conflicting part of this Act is inoperative solely to the extent 13 of the conflict and with respect to the agencies directly 14 affected, and this finding does not affect the operation of the 15 remainder of this Act.

SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



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#### Report Title:

Housing Choice Voucher Program; Legal Nonconforming Dwelling Units; Counties

### Description:

Prohibits any county from disqualifying a legal nonconforming dwelling unit from the Housing Choice Voucher Program if the unit meets zoning and building code requirements and other program standards such as health and safety standards. (CD1)

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