



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

July 5, 2018

GOV. MSG. NO. 1225

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on July 5, 2018, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2909 SD2 HD1 CD1

RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT
ACT 124 (18)

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. (a) The legislative reference bureau shall
 2 conduct a study that examines consolidating the law enforcement
 3 activities and responsibilities of various state divisions and
 4 agencies under a single, centralized state enforcement division
 5 or agency.

6 (b) The study shall examine the following areas related to
 7 consolidation:

- 8 (1) Start-up and other costs;
- 9 (2) Cost-savings;
- 10 (3) Regulatory efficiencies;
- 11 (4) Structure of consolidation; and
- 12 (5) Operational, administrative, financial, personnel,
 13 legal, and other issues associated with consolidation.

14 (c) In conducting the study, the legislative reference
 15 bureau shall seek input from the following departments and
 16 divisions, including the department of the attorney general;
 17 department of land and natural resources division of
 18 conservation and resources enforcement; department of public



1 safety narcotics enforcement division; and department of
2 transportation harbors division.

3 (d) The legislative reference bureau shall submit a report
4 of its findings and recommendations, including any proposed
5 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days before
6 the convening of the regular session of 2019.

7 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.

APPROVED this 05 -day of JUL , 2018



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: May 1, 2018
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2018.


President of the Senate


Clerk of the Senate

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 1, 2018
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2018.



Scott K. Saiki
Speaker
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives