A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FLOOD MITIGATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. (a) The Hawaii emergency management agency
- 2 shall develop a strategic regional flood plan that shall address
- 3 flood mitigation, flood water retention, and flood diversion.
- 4 The plan shall become effective on December 31, 2019.
- 5 (b) The agency shall submit to the legislature a written
- 6 report of its progress in developing the plan, including any
- 7 findings, recommendations, and proposed legislation, no later
- 8 than twenty days prior to the convening of the regular session
- 9 of 2019.

10 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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Report Title:

Watershed; Flood Mitigation; Hawaii Emergency Management Agency;

Description:

Requires the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency to develop a strategic regional flood plan.

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