A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC LANDS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that public lands hold
- 2 significant value to the State's economy, open spaces, and
- 3 wildlife. The legislature further finds that public lands also
- 4 benefit the State's residents and visitors through the provision
- 5 of recreational opportunities and provide mineral, grazing, and
- 6 forestry resources.
- 7 Accordingly, the purpose of this Act is to establish the
- 8 fourth Saturday in September of each year as public lands day to
- 9 promote awareness of the significant value and beneficial
- 10 impacts of the State's public lands.
- 11 SECTION 2. Chapter 8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
- 12 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
- 13 read as follows:
- 14 "§8- Public Lands Day. The fourth Saturday in
- 15 September of each year shall be known and designated as "Public
- 16 Lands Day"; provided that this day is not and shall not be
- 17 construed to be a state holiday."



- 1 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 2 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2051.

S.B. NO. 2081 S.D. 1

Report Title:

Public Lands Day

Description:

Designates the fourth Saturday in September of each year as Public Lands Day. Effective 7/1/51. (SD1)

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