A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HOUSING.

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

1	SECTION 1. Chapter 201H, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to read as follows:
4	"§201H- Advertising housing subject to certain occupancy
5	requirements as rentals prohibited. (a) Any person who
6	advertises, for rental purposes, any housing subject to an owner
7	or renter occupancy requirement under this chapter shall be
8	guilty of a misdemeanor; provided that nothing in this section
9	shall prohibit any state agency, or private project owner and
10	its managing agents, from advertising or publicizing a housing
11	program covered by this chapter.
12	(b) This section shall be enforced by the police
13	department of the county in which the housing is located."
14	SECTION 2. Chapter 206E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
15	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
16	and to read as follows:

1	" <u>§206E-</u>	Advertising	housing	subject	to certa	<u>in (</u>	occupancy		
2	requirements as	rentals prol	nibited.	(a) Ar	ny person	. wh	<u>0</u>		
3	advertises, for	rental purpo	oses, any	housing	g subject	to	an owner		
4	or renter occupancy requirement under this chapter shall be								
5	guilty of a mis	demeanor; pro	ovided th	at noth	ing in th	is	section		
6	shall prohibit	any state age	ency, or	managing	g contrac	tor	or agent		
7	on the state ag	ency's behal:	f, from a	dvertis	ing or pu	bli	cizing a		
8	housing program	covered by	this chap	oter.					
9	(b) This	section shall	l be enfo	orced by	the poli	<u>.ce</u>			
10	department of t	he county in	which th	ne housi	ng is loc	ate	<u>d.</u> "		
11	SECTION 3.	Chapter 35	6D, Hawai	i Revis	ed Statut	es,	is		
12	amended by addi	ng a new sect	tion to k	e approp	priately	des	ignated		
13	and to read as	follows:							
14	" <u>§356D-</u>	Advertising	rental c	of public	c housing	un	<u>it</u>		
15	<pre>prohibited. (a</pre>) Any person	n who adv	ertises	or suble	ts	a public		
16	housing unit lo	cated within	a public	housing	g project	as	defined		
17	in section 356D	-1 or 356D-5	1, for re	ental pu	rposes, s	hal	l be		
18	guilty of a mis	demeanor; pro	ovided th	at noth	ing in th	iis	section		
19	shall prohibit	any state ago	ency or a	uthorize	ed privat	e m	anagement		
20	company from ad	vertising, p	ublicizir	ng, or re	enting pu	ıbli	c housing		
21	units subject t	o this chapt	er.						

- 1 (b) This section shall be enforced by the police
- 2 department of the county in which the public housing unit is
- 3 located."
- 4 SECTION 4. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 5 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 6 begun before its effective date.
- 7 SECTION 5. New statutory material is underscored.
- 8 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Public Housing; Advertisement; Vacation Rental; Owner or Renter Occupancy Requirement; Prohibition; County Police Enforcement

Description:

Prohibits advertising a public housing unit and housing subject to an owner or renter occupancy requirement under chapter 201H, Hawaii Revised Statutes, or chapter 206E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for rental purposes and requires county police departments to enforce the prohibition. Does not apply to any state agency advertising or publicizing a housing program under chapters 201H, 206E, and 356D, Hawaii Revised Statutes. (SD1)

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