



1 provision and the rights stated herein are self-executing. The  
2 reserved rights stated herein are equivalent to other protected  
3 inherent and inalienable rights."

4 SECTION 3. The question to be printed on the ballot shall  
5 be as follows:

6 "Shall the Constitution of the State of Hawaii be amended to  
7 provide that each person has a right to a clean and healthy  
8 environment, including pure water, clean air, and healthy  
9 ecosystems, and to the preservation of the natural,  
10 cultural, scenic, and healthful qualities of the  
11 environment?"

12 SECTION 4. New constitutional material is underscored.

13 SECTION 5. This amendment shall take effect fifty years  
14 after the vote of the electorate required pursuant to article  
15 XVII, section 3, of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii.



**Report Title:**

Constitutional Amendment; Green Amendment; Environmental Protection

**Description:**

Proposes a constitutional amendment which guarantees individuals the right to a clean and healthy environment, including pure water, clean air, and healthy ecosystems, and to the preservation of the natural, cultural, scenic, and healthful qualities of the environment. Self-executing. Effective fifty years after approval by vote of the electorate. (SD2)

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