



GOV. MSG. NO. 1104

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

APR 07 2022

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

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Thirty-First 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 APR 07 2022, the following bill was signed into law:

HB1471

RELATING TO POLITICAL PARTIES.
ACT 004

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO POLITICAL PARTIES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 11-62, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3 "(a) Any group of persons hereafter desiring to qualify as
4 a political party for election ballot purposes in the State
5 shall file with the chief election officer a petition as
6 provided in this section. The petition for qualification as a
7 political party shall:

8 (1) Be filed not later than 4:30 p.m. on the one hundred
9 seventieth day prior to the next primary;

10 (2) Declare as concisely as may be the intention of
11 signers thereof to qualify as a statewide political
12 party in the State and state the name of the new
13 party;

14 (3) Contain the name, signature, residence address, month
15 and date portion of the date of birth, and other
16 information as determined by the chief election
17 officer of currently registered voters comprising not



1 less than one-tenth of one per cent of the total
2 registered voters of the State as of the last
3 preceding general election;

4 (4) Be accompanied by the names and addresses of the
5 officers of the central committee and of the
6 respective county committees of the political party
7 and by the party rules; and

8 (5) Be upon the form prescribed and provided by the chief
9 election officer."

10 SECTION 2. Section 11-63, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
11 amended to read as follows:

12 "**§11-63 Party rules, amendments to be filed.** All parties
13 must file their rules with the chief election officer not later
14 than 4:30 p.m. on the one hundred [~~fiftieth~~] seventieth day
15 prior to the next primary. All amendments shall be filed with
16 the chief election officer not later than 4:30 p.m. on the
17 thirtieth day after their adoption. The rules and amendments
18 shall be duly certified to by an authorized officer of the party
19 and upon filing, the rules and amendments thereto shall be a
20 public record."



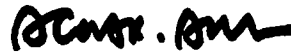
1 SECTION 3. Section 11-64, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§11-64 Names of party officers to be filed. All parties
4 shall submit to the chief election officer and the respective
5 county clerks not later than 4:30 p.m. on the [~~ninetieth~~] one
6 hundred seventieth day prior to the next primary, a list of
7 names and addresses of officers of the central committee and of
8 the respective county committees."

9 SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
10 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

11 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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INTRODUCED BY:



By Request

JAN 18 2022

APPROVED this 07 day of April, 2022



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



HB No. 1471

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: March 4, 2022
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.



Scott K. Saiki
Speaker
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: **MAR 28 2022**
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.



Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate



Carol T. Taniguchi
Clerk of the Senate