A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to require all state
- 2 building construction projects and state highway projects to use
- 3 building and construction materials that seek to reduce their
- 4 carbon footprint, where feasible and cost effective.
- 5 SECTION 2. Chapter 107, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 6 amended by adding a new section to part II to be appropriately
- 7 designated and to read as follows:
- 8 "§107- Building and construction materials; carbon
- 9 footprint reduction. Each state building construction project
- 10 shall use building and construction materials that seek to
- 11 reduce the carbon footprint of the building, where feasible and
- 12 cost effective."
- 13 SECTION 3. Chapter 264, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 14 amended by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately
- 15 designated and to read as follows:
- 17 reduction. Each state highway project shall use building and

- 1 construction materials that seek to reduce the carbon footprint
- 2 of the project, where feasible and cost effective."
- 3 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.
- 4 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2100.

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Report Title:

Construction; Building Materials; State Building Construction Projects; State Highway Projects; Carbon Footprint

Description:

Requires all state building construction projects and state highway projects to use building and construction materials that seek to reduce their carbon footprint, where feasible and cost effective. Effective 7/1/2100. (HD1)

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