
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DATA COLLECTION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 846, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately
3 designated and to read as follows:

4 "§846- Systems of identification; sexual orientation
5 and gender identity information. (a) In addition to
6 identifying information collected on persons pursuant to section
7 846-2.5, beginning January 1, 2023, the sexual orientation and
8 gender identity of persons for whom identifying information is
9 kept pursuant to section 846-2.5 shall be included in the
10 systems of identification, if disclosed.

11 (b) For purposes of this section:

12 "Gender identity" means an individual's sense of being
13 male, female, transgender, or another gender, as distinct from
14 the individual's sex assigned at birth.

15 "Sexual orientation" means how a person identifies in terms
16 of their emotional, romantic, or sexual attractions, and



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1 includes identification as straight, heterosexual, gay, lesbian,
2 or bisexual, among other terms."

3 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

4 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.

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Report Title:

Data Collection; Crimes; LGBTQ; Sexual Orientation; Gender Identity

Description:

Requires that the sexual orientation and gender identity of persons processed for crimes be included in the systems of identification.

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