



GOV. MSG. NO. 1182

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
KE KE'ENA O KE KIA'ĀINA

JOSH GREEN, M.D.
GOVERNOR
KE KIA'ĀINA

June 14, 2023

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

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker, and Members of the
House of Representatives
Thirty-Second 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 June 14, 2023, the following bill was signed into law:

SB1267 SD1 HD1

RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS.
ACT 081

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Josh Green M.D." in a cursive style.

Josh Green, M.D.
Governor, State of Hawai'i

on JUN 14 2023

THE SENATE
THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 2023
STATE OF HAWAII

S.B. NO. 1267
S.D. 1
H.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 586-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "[+]§586-2[+] Court jurisdiction. (a) An application for
4 relief under this chapter may be filed in [~~any~~] the family court
5 in the circuit in which [~~the~~]:

6 (1) The petitioner resides[~~-~~] or is temporarily located;

7 (2) The respondent resides;

8 (3) The subject of the petition, a petitioner's family or
9 household member who is a minor, an incapacitated
10 person as defined in section 560:5-102 or physically
11 unable to go to the appropriate place to complete or
12 file the petition, resides or is temporarily located;

13 or

14 (4) The domestic abuse occurred.

15 (b) Actions under this chapter shall be given docket
16 priorities by the court."

1 SECTION 2. Section 604-10.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:


3 "(c) Any person who has been subjected to harassment may
4 petition the district court [~~of the district in which the~~
5 ~~petitioner resides~~] for a temporary restraining order and an
6 injunction from further harassment[+] in the district in which:

- 7 (1) The petitioner resides or is temporarily located;
- 8 (2) The respondent resides; or
- 9 (3) The harassment occurred."

10 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
11 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

12 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 14th day of June, 2023



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: April 19, 2023
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2023.



President of the Senate



Clerk of the Senate

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 3, 2023
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2023.



Scott K. Saiki
Speaker
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives