
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION REVIEWS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that section 6E-8, Hawaii
2 Revised Statutes, plays an important role in the protection and
3 management of the State's historic properties and burial sites.
4 Section 6E-8(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes, currently requires the
5 department of Hawaiian home lands, prior to any proposed project
6 relating to lands under its jurisdiction, to consult with the
7 department of land and natural resources regarding the effect of
8 the project upon historic property or a burial site.

9 The purpose of this Act is to allow the department of
10 Hawaiian home lands to assume review of the effect of any
11 proposed project on historic properties or burial sites for
12 lands under its jurisdiction.

13 SECTION 2. Section 6E-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
14 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

15 "(b) [The] Notwithstanding subsection (a), the department
16 of Hawaiian home lands [~~, prior to~~] may assume review of any
17 proposed project relating to lands under its jurisdiction[~~,~~



1 ~~shall consult with the department regarding the effect of the~~
2 ~~project upon historic property or a burial site.]~~ pursuant to
3 this section, and pursuant to any administrative rule adopted
4 thereunder; provided that the department of Hawaiian home lands
5 shall:

6 (1) Designate the review to a Hawaiian home lands
7 preservation officer who has professional competence
8 and experience in the field of historical
9 preservation; and

10 (2) Ensure that copies of all reports, maps, and
11 documents, including those reflecting the Hawaiian
12 home lands preservation official's comments,
13 recommendations, and decisions, are provided to the
14 department to be incorporated into the historic
15 preservation digital document management system and
16 library;

17 provided further that the department of land and natural
18 resources shall retain the authority to review all projects
19 affecting properties listed or nominated for inclusion in the
20 Hawaii register of historic places or the national register of
21 historic places."

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1 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
2 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

DHHL; Historic Preservation; Project Reviews of Proposed State Projects

Description:

Authorizes the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to perform historic preservation reviews of the effect of any proposed project for lands under its jurisdiction except for projects affecting properties listed or nominated for inclusion in the Hawaii register of historic places or the national register of historic places.

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