



# GOV. MSG. NO. 1286

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
KE KE'ENA O KE KIA'ĀINA

JOSH GREEN, M.D.  
GOVERNOR  
KE KIA'ĀINA

July 3, 2024

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 July 3, 2024, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2401 SD2 HD2 CD1

RELATING TO FERAL CHICKENS.  
**ACT 185**

Sincerely,

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



1 and the health and safety of its residents, it is critical that  
2 the State work together with the counties to identify and  
3 implement collaborative solutions to control the significant  
4 increase in the population of feral chickens and roosters.

5 Accordingly, the purpose of this Act is to:

- 6 (1) Require the department of agriculture to work with  
7 each county to implement feral chicken control  
8 programs and feeding of feral animals education  
9 campaigns; and
- 10 (2) Require each county to match the funds expended by the  
11 department of agriculture for the implementation of  
12 the feral chicken control program and feeding of feral  
13 animals education campaign in that county.

14 SECTION 2. (a) The department of agriculture shall work  
15 with each county to implement feral chicken control programs and  
16 feeding of feral animals education campaigns in each county.

17 (b) Each county shall provide one hundred per cent of  
18 matching funds for the amount of funds expended by the  
19 department of agriculture for the implementation of the feral  
20 chicken control program and feeding of feral animal education  
21 campaign in that county.



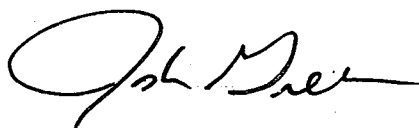
1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2024.



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APPROVED this **3rd** day of **July**, 2024

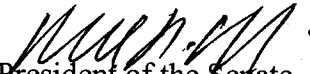
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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

**THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I**

Date: May 1, 2024  
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 2024.

  
President of the Senate

  
Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 2401, SD 2, HD 2, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 1, 2024  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2024.



Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker  
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives