
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. (a) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary,
2 the department of corrections and rehabilitation shall establish
3 a pilot program to allow inmates in its custody to perform work
4 for the State.

5 (b) The pilot program shall be separate from the Hawaii
6 correctional industries program in chapter 354D, Hawaii Revised
7 Statutes.

8 (c) No later than September 1, 2024, the department of
9 corrections and rehabilitation shall develop criteria to
10 determine:

11 (1) Which inmates shall be eligible to participate in the
12 pilot program;

13 (2) What type of work is appropriate for inmates in the
14 pilot program to perform; and

15 (3) The pay scale for which inmates shall be compensated
16 for their work.



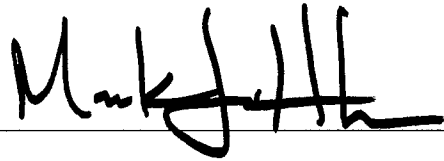
1 (d) The department of corrections and rehabilitation shall
2 implement the pilot program no later than October 1, 2024.

3 SECTION 2. The department of corrections and
4 rehabilitation shall submit a report of its findings and
5 recommendations on the pilot program established pursuant to
6 section 1, including any proposed legislation, to the
7 legislature no later than twenty days before the convening of
8 the regular session of 2026.

9 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2024, and
10 shall be repealed on June 30, 2026.

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Report Title:

Pilot Program; Inmates to Perform Work for State; Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

Description:

Requires the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to establish a pilot program to allow inmates to perform work for the State. Sunsets on 6/30/2026.

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