
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THAT THE STATE AUDITOR CONDUCT A SUNRISE ANALYSIS OF
FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND CEMETERY SALESPERSONS.

1 WHEREAS, although certain death care professions require
2 licensure in the State, no licensure requirements exist for
3 funeral directors and cemetery salespersons; and
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5 WHEREAS, due to its sensitive subject matter, greater
6 regulatory oversight of the death care industry is necessary;
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9 WHEREAS, H.B. No. , introduced during the Regular
10 Session of 2024, establishes a death care industry board and
11 requires that funeral directors and cemetery salespersons be
12 licensed by the board; and
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14 WHEREAS, section 26H-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, states
15 that "[n]ew regulatory measures being considered for enactment
16 that, if enacted, would subject unregulated professions and
17 vocations to licensing or other regulatory controls shall be
18 referred to the auditor for analysis"; now, therefore,
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20 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
21 Thirty-second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
22 Session of 2024, the Senate concurring, that the Auditor is
23 requested to conduct a sunrise analysis of the licensing of
24 funeral directors and cemetery salespersons as proposed under
25 H.B. No. , which was introduced during the Regular Session
26 of 2024; and
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28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Auditor is requested to
29 submit a report of its findings and recommendations, including
30 any proposed legislation, to the Legislature no later than
31 twenty days before the convening of the Regular Session of 2025;
32 and



H.C.R. NO. 7

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Auditor.

OFFERED BY:

Karani Salaf

JAN 19 2024

