
HOUSE RESOLUTION

URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS TO DISPLAY A
PORTRAIT OF PRINCE JONAH KUHIO KALANIANAOLE IN EACH STATE
BUILDING, OFFICE, MEETING ROOM, AND WAITING AREA UNDER THE
DEPARTMENT'S JURISDICTION.

1 WHEREAS, Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalanianaole was born on
2 March 26, 1871; and
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4 WHEREAS, Prince Kuhio served as a non-voting delegate from
5 Hawaii to the House of Representatives in Congress for twenty
6 years, beginning in 1902; and
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8 WHEREAS, his significant accomplishments include a
9 \$27,000,000 million appropriation for dredging and construction
10 at Pearl Harbor, the establishment of the Makapuu Point
11 Lighthouse, the build-out of the Territorial building, the
12 building of Hilo Wharf, the establishment of Hawaii Volcanoes
13 National Park and Kilauea National Park, and construction of a
14 hospital at the Kalaupapa Settlement for persons with Hansen's
15 Disease; and
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17 WHEREAS, Prince Kuhio also led efforts to convince the
18 United States Congress to pass the Hawaiian Homes Commission
19 Act, 1920, under which the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands was
20 created; and
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22 WHEREAS, Prince Kuhio passed away on January 7, 1922, at
23 his home in Waikiki; and
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25 WHEREAS, Prince Kuhio Day is a state holiday observed in
26 Hawaii every March 26 to honor Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalanianaole;
27 now, therefore,
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29 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
30 Thirty-second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
31 Session of 2024, that the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands is



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1 urged to display a portrait of Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalanianaʻole
2 in each state building, office, meeting room, and waiting area
3 under the Department's jurisdiction; and
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5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
6 Resolution be transmitted to the Governor of the State of
7 Hawaii, Chairperson of the Hawaiian Homes Commission,
8 Chairperson of the Board of Trustees of the Office of Hawaiian
9 Affairs, and the Comptroller.

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OFFERED BY: _____



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