THE SENATE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 2024 STATE OF HAWAII

S.B. NO. 3272

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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INSURANCE.

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

SECTION 1. Section 431:10-226.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes,
is amended to read as follows:

3 "[+]\$431:10-226.5[+] Notice of cancellation or nonrenewal. 4 In the case of cancellation of a policy, the insurer shall give 5 written notice by certified mail to the insured not fewer than 6 ten days prior to the effective date of cancellation. For 7 nonrenewal of a policy, the insurer shall give written notice by 8 certified mail to the insured not fewer than thirty days prior 9 to the effective date of nonrenewal. If under title 24 or a 10 policy, a longer time period is required for a notice of 11 cancellation or nonrenewal for the policy, the longer period 12 shall be applicable. Cancellation or nonrenewal shall not be 13 deemed valid unless evidence of mailing is provided." 14 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed

15 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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#### Report Title:

Insurance; Cancellation; Nonrenewal; Notice; Certified Mail

### Description:

Requires insurance providers to give written notice of policy cancellations or nonrenewal through certified mail.

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