## THE SENATE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 2023 STATE OF HAWAII

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## S.B. NO. <sup>735</sup> S.D. 1 H.D. 2

# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DISPOSITION OF WATER RIGHTS.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 171-58, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by amending subsection (h) to read as follows:
3	"(h) This section shall not apply to the disposition of
4	water rights for the instream use of water for traditional and
5	customary kalo cultivation practices[ $\cdot$ ], including commercial
6	kalo cultivation conducted in a manner consistent with
7	traditional and customary Native Hawaiian practices and on
8	traditional kalo lands."
9	SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
10	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
11	SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on June 30, 3000.



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#### Report Title:

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Water Rights; Commercial Kalo Farming; Native Hawaiian Practices; Exemptions

#### Description:

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Exempts the instream use of water for commercial kalo cultivation conducted in a manner consistent with traditional and customary Native Hawaiian practices and on traditional kalo lands from the existing process for the disposition of water rights. Effective 6/30/3000. (HD2)

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