
HOUSE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO POST PUBLICLY
ACCESSIBLE INFORMATION ON ITS WEBSITE PERTAINING TO CHANGES
TO GUN SAFETY AND STORAGE LAWS.

1 WHEREAS, the presence of unsecured or improperly stored
2 firearms contributes to a heightened risk of accidental injury,
3 accidental death, and theft or loss of firearms; and

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5 WHEREAS, unsecured or improperly stored firearms
6 significantly increase the risk of unintentional injuries and
7 death among children; and

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9 WHEREAS, numerous states, including Hawaii, have passed or
10 are considering the passage of secure storage laws to prevent
11 unauthorized firearm access by children; and

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13 WHEREAS, parents and members of households with firearms
14 should be actively updated as to any changes to gun safety
15 requirements, including secure storage laws; now, therefore,

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17 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
18 Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
19 of 2025, that the Department of Education is requested to post
20 publicly accessible information on its website pertaining to
21 changes to gun safety and storage laws to ensure that students,
22 parents, and educators have up-to-date resources on secure
23 firearm storage requirements; and

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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
26 Resolution be transmitted to the Chairperson of the Board of
27 Education and Superintendent of Education.

