
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO WATER POLLUTION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 342D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§342D- Recycled water; requirement. By January 1,
5 2045, no less than per cent of treatment works effluent
6 shall be recycled water classified as R-1 and that is suitable
7 for use in recycled water systems."

8 SECTION 2. By January 1, 2027, each county shall report to
9 the department of health on the feasibility of recycling
10 treatment works effluent at a level that protects human health
11 and the environment and is sufficient for irrigation or suitable
12 for use in recycled water systems. In determining what is
13 feasible, the counties shall estimate the costs of treatment
14 needed to protect human health and the environment, costs for
15 delivery of the water, local demand for recycled water near the
16 treatment plants, and other factors the counties may consider
17 relevant.



- 1 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 2 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 3000.



Report Title:

Water Pollution; Recycled Water; Treatment Works Effluent;
Counties; Reports

Description:

Requires at least fifty per cent of treatment works effluent to be R-1 recycled water by January 1, 2045. Requires each county to report to the Department of Health by 1/1/2027 on the feasibility of recycling treatment works effluent that meets certain standards. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD1)

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