S.B. NO. 521

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ACCESS TO WATER ON HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS.

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

1	SECTION 1. Chapter 174C, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3	and to read as follows:
4	" <u>§174C-</u> Access to water on Hawaiian home lands; county
5	board or department of water supply; agreements. The department
6	of Hawaiian home lands shall work with the appropriate county
7	board or department of water supply to provide access to potable
8	and agricultural water on Hawaiian home lands; provided that any
9	agreement between the department of Hawaiian home lands and the
10	county board or department of water supply shall be made
11	available to the public."
12	SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
13	SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title:

DHHL; County Board or Department of Water Supply; Access to Water; Hawaiian Home Lands; Agreements

Description:

Requires the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands to work with the appropriate county board or department of water supply to provide access to potable and agricultural water on Hawaiian home lands; provided that any agreement between DHHL and that county board or department of water supply is made available to the public.

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