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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HUMAN REMAINS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 531B, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:  
4 "§531B- Disposition of remains. (a) Any cemetery,  
5 crematory, funeral establishment, hydrolysis facility, or  
6 mortuary shall dispose of the remains of a dead human body no  
7 later than sixty days from the later of either the date a permit  
8 has been issued pursuant to section 338-23 or the date of an  
9 affidavit for amendment of the permit has been submitted. The  
10 department of health shall not be required to include the  
11 specific disposition date on the permit.  
12 (b) The department of health may adopt rules pursuant to  
13 chapter 91 necessary for the purposes of this section."  
14 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.  
15 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

**Report Title:**

DOH; Disposition of Remains; Burial-transit Permit; Cemetery;  
Crematory; Funeral Establishment; Hydrolysis Facility; Mortuary

**Description:**

Requires any cemetery, crematory, funeral establishment, hydrolysis facility, or mortuary to dispose of the remains of a dead human body no later than sixty days from the later of either the date a burial-transit permit has been issued or the date of an affidavit for amendment of the permit has been submitted. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)

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