
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROTECTIVE ORDERS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the State is home to
2 a large and diverse military population, including active duty
3 personnel, reservists, and their families. While military
4 families contribute significantly to the social and economic
5 fabric of the State, they may also face distinct challenges when
6 navigating the civilian justice system, particularly in
7 situations involving protective orders.

8 The legislature further finds that enhancing coordination
9 and communication between civilian law enforcement agencies and
10 the military is critical to ensuring the safety of victims,
11 promoting accountability, and preventing further harm. Timely
12 notification to the security forces of each branch of the
13 military of protective orders can support command-level
14 interventions, ensure compliance, and provide a more integrated
15 response to abusive behavior involving military members or their
16 dependents.



1 The purpose of this Act is to require information sharing
2 between the judiciary, the county police departments, the
3 department of law enforcement, and the security forces of each
4 branch of the military in cases involving protective orders.
5 This Act is intended to support early intervention, reduce the
6 risk of repeated violence, and strengthen community safety
7 through improved collaboration while upholding confidentiality
8 and due process protections.

9 SECTION 2. Section 586-10, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
10 amended to read as follows:

11 "~~§586-10 Copy to law enforcement [agency.]~~ **agencies and**
12 **the security forces of each branch of the military.** (a) Any
13 order for protection granted pursuant to this chapter shall be
14 transmitted by the clerk of the court within twenty-four hours
15 to the appropriate county police department~~[.]~~, the department
16 of law enforcement, and the security forces of each branch of
17 the military.

18 (b) Each county police department shall make available to
19 other law enforcement officers in the same county, through a
20 system for verification, information as to the existence and



1 status of any order for protection issued pursuant to this
2 chapter.

3 (c) The judiciary, the county police departments, and the
4 department of law enforcement shall establish policies and
5 procedures, in consultation with the security forces of each
6 branch of the military, for interagency communications and
7 training on the implementation of this section, while
8 safeguarding victim confidentiality, due process, and compliance
9 with applicable federal and state law.

10 (d) For purposes of this section:

11 "Military" means all branches of the United States Armed
12 Forces responsible for national defense, including the Army,
13 Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Space Force, and Coast Guard.

14 "Security forces of each branch of the military" means the
15 Army Criminal Investigation Division and U.S. Army Garrison
16 Hawaii, the Marine Corps Criminal Investigation Division, the
17 Naval Criminal Investigative Service, the Air Force and Space
18 Force through the Air Force Office of Special Investigations,
19 and the Coast Guard Investigative Service."

20 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
21 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

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Report Title:

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Description:

Requires notification to the security forces of each branch of the military when a protective order is issued in a case involving a military-affiliated individual. Requires the Judiciary, Department of Law Enforcement, and county police departments to establish certain policies and procedures. Effective 7/1/2050. (SD1)

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