

BILL NO.	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	COMMITTEES
HB 2	Relating to Agriculture	Authorizes tiny homes of less than 500 square feet for farm workers in agricultural districts in a county with a population of more than 180,000 but less than 250,000, notwithstanding any county ordinance or regulation to the contrary.	HSG/AGR, JUD
HB 3	Relating to Animals	Requires a research facility that intends to euthanize a dog or cat for any purpose other than scientific, medical, or education research to make that animal available for prior to euthanizing the animal if the animal is suitable for adoption.	AGR, JUD
HB 14	Relating to Kekaha Kai Stat Park	Appropriates funds for the employment of lifeguards and for life-saving equipment at Kua bay.	OMH, FIN
HB 151	Relating to Offenses Involving the Confinement or Restraint of Dogs.	Establishes the criminal offense of unlawful confinement or restraint of a dog to enhance related offenses under the cruelty to animals law and provide standards for the use of tethers and enclosures for dogs.	AGR, JUD
HB 152	Relating to Wheeling	Requires the Public Utilities Commission to establish policies and rules for the implementation of retail wheeling. Requires the Commission to report on the status of the implementation of retail wheeling annually until the implementation is complete.	EEP, CPC
HB 153	Relating to elections	Requires LRB to conduct a study on current practices and costs to administer all-mail elections and disseminate election information in other states in comparison with the election process in Hawaii. Makes an appropriation.	JUD, FIN
HB 154	Relating to Legislative Hearings	Requires both chambers of the Legislature to establish, by rule, procedures to enable persons to present oral testimony at legislative committee hearings through the use of prerecorded videos. Appropriates funds.	LMG, FIN
HB 155	Relating to Animals	Provides for the support and maintenance and custody of pet animals when their owners are undergoing annulment, divorce, or separation proceedings.	AGR, JUD
HB 156	Relating to Reimbursement of Pharmacists	Requires insurers, mutual and fraternal benefit societies, and health maintenance organizations to recognize services provided by pharmacists.	HLT, CPC

HB 227	Relating to Veterans	Requires the Office of Veterans' Services in the Department of Defense to study the establishment and administration of a veterans conservation corps program to assist veterans in obtaining training, certification, and employment in the areas of environmental protection, restoration, and management. Report to the 2018 Legislature.	VMI/LAB, FIN
HB 228	Relating to Invasive Plants	Simplifies the listing process for the designation of plants to the restricted plants list and the noxious weeds list by using the findings of the Hawaii Pacific Weed Risk Assessment to prevent the importation, sale, and uncontrolled spread of invasive species.	EEP, AGR, FIN
HB 229	Relating to Single-Family Detached Dwellings	Prohibits the State and counties from adopting building codes that require minimum floor space or room sizes unless necessary for safety or environmental standards.	HSG, FIN
HB 230	Relating to Taxation	Establishes an income tax credit for agricultural businesses that are required to take land out of active production in order to comply with federal food safety requirements	AGR, FIN
HB 231	Relating to the Aha Moku	Clarifies that the Aha Moku Advisory Committee is placed within DLNR for administrative purposes only. Requires DLNR to provide budgetary and administrative support to the Committee. Allows the Special Land and Development Fund to be used for expenses incurred by the Committee. Appropriates funds.	WAL, FIN
HB 367	Relating to Appropriations to the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Hawaii.	Appropriates funds for the Big Island Juvenile Intake and Assessment Center of the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Hawaii.	JUD, FIN
HB 368	Relating to Recovery of Indigenous Wildlife	Requires habitat conservation plans and safe harbor agreements to include the measures or actions to be undertaken to respond to individuals of the candidate species affect by take. Authorizes other funds to be deposited into the Endangered Species Trust Fund.	WAL, FIN
HB 369	Relating to Motor Vehicles	Authorizes a police officer to cause to be towed a motor vehicle I the operates is arrested or cited for certain intoxicant-related offenses. Provides exceptions. Provides notice and hearing requirements.	TRN, JUD
HB 370	Relating to Pharmacy	Requires outsourcing facilities to obtain a permit from the Board of Pharmacy before providing medications to healthcare providers.	HLT/IAC, CPC

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HB 371	Relating to Disposable Food Containers	Prohibits the use of polystyrene food containers in state-owned and state-run building and facilities beginning 1/1/18. Requires that food be packed in compostable containers. Authorizes DOH to allow exemptions.	EEP, CPC
HB 372	Relating to the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands	Establishes a working group to address and provide findings and recommendations regarding issues that beneficiaries of the department of Hawaiian Home lands on Hawaii island face relating to the financing and insuring of homes. Appropriates funds.	OMH, FIN
HB 373	Relating to Higher Education	Establishes a state funds matching grant program for resident undergraduate UH students with financial need and whose parents have not earned a baccalaureate or higher degree.	HED, FIN
HB 374	Relating to Dental Assistants	Clarifies the allowable and prohibited practices requirements for dental assistants. Prohibits the ordering of a person without a dental hygienist license to perform services or procedures within the scope of practice of dental hygiene.	HLT/IAC, CPC
HB 397	Relating to the Kamehameha Statues	Requires DAGS to maintain, preserve, and protect the statue of King Kamehameha the Great located in Kapaau, as well as its replica in Honolulu. Makes appropriations.	VMI, FIN
HB 871	Relating to Public Utilities	Prohibits electric utilities from installing power connections or transferring accounts or services without owner or occupant consent.	EEP, JUD
HB 872	Relating to Chapter 302D, Hawaii Revised Statutes.	Requires that the appropriation made to the Public Charter School Commission be apportioned to the other authorizers. Requires that authorizers meet similar governance requirements as the Public Charter School Commission	EDN, FIN
HB 873	Relating to Sustainable Living	Establishes a permit that exempts sustainable living research and sites from certain county codes, ordinances, and rules.	EDB, WAL, JUD
HB 874	Relating to Housing	Requires an unspecified percentage of funds in the mental health and substance abuse special fund to be used to provide homes for persons who qualify for Social Security benefits and are diagnosed with a life-long serious mental illness.	HUS/HLT, FIN
HB 875	Relating to Historic Preservation	Appropriates funds for 5 full-time equivalent (5.0 FTE) temporary student intern II positions within the state historic preservation division.	WAL, FIN
HB 1270	Relating to Land Acquisition	Requires BLNR to enter into negotiations to acquire the property identified as Tax Map Key: (3) 6-8-001:030 Kamuela, Hawaii. Appropriation.	AG, WAL, FIN

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HB 1271	Relating to Private Child Day Care Centers.	Enacts safeguards regarding the use of pesticides at private day care centers.	HLT/HUS, EEP
HB 1272	Relating to Improving Access to Psychiatric Care for Medicaid Patients	Specifies that coverage for telehealth under the State's medicaid managed care and fee-for-service programs includes psychiatric services provided through a coordinated care manager who is present in a primary health care provider's office through telehealth.	HUS/HLT, FIN
HB 1333	Relating to the Issuance of Special Purpose Revenue Bonds to Honokaa Land Company, LLC.	Authorizes the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to provide financing to assist the Honokaa Land Company, LLC, with acquiring, developing, and renovating agricultural facilities and structures.	AGR, FIN
HB 1388	Relating to Foster Care Services	Amends definitions in chapter 578A, HRS, to clarify that any proper adult person or family, regardless of marital status, may be approved by DHS or another authorized agency to provide foster care services for children.	HUS, JUD
HB1389	Relating to Livestock Harvest Facilities.	Makes an appropriations for the planning an design of scalable livestock harvest facilities to be extended by DOA.	AGR, FIN
HB 1406	Relating to the Practice of Pharmacy	Amends the definition of 'practice of pharmacy"	HLT, JUD