



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

LINDA LINGLE
GOVERNOR

GOV. MSG. NO 594

May 2, 2006

The Honorable Robert Bunda, President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 003
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

This is to inform you that on May 2, 2006, the following bill was signed into law:

HB1984 HD1 SD1

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO CONVICTION
DATA.
(ACT 68)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda Lingle".

LINDA LINGLE

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CONVICTION DATA.

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

1 SECTION 1. The judicial council, established pursuant to
2 section 601-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, through a review
3 committee shall investigate the current status of internet
4 access to state criminal conviction data and recommend to the
5 legislature action necessary to protect offenders balanced
6 against the public interest in access to criminal conviction
7 data. The review committee shall include representatives from:

- 8 (1) The judiciary;
- 9 (2) The attorney general;
- 10 (3) The office of the public defender; and
- 11 (4) The American Civil Liberties Union.

12 The review committee shall investigate the current status
13 of:

- 14 (1) Methods and sources for collecting criminal conviction
15 data made available over the internet;
- 16 (2) The extent to which the public is granted internet
17 access to criminal conviction data, and whether
18 further limitations on internet access to this data is



1 necessary to ensure proper uses of the data, such as
2 promoting public safety;

3 (3) The methods by which the public may conduct internet
4 searches for criminal conviction data, including
5 search engines and other means of sorting data by
6 category; and

7 (4) Any other relevant issues concerning internet access
8 to criminal conviction data.

9 The investigation of the review committee shall not include
10 a review of the sex offender registry pursuant to chapter 846E.

11 The review committee shall submit a final report of its
12 findings and recommendations, together with any proposed
13 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days prior
14 to the convening of the regular session of 2007.

15 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 2 day of MAY, 2006

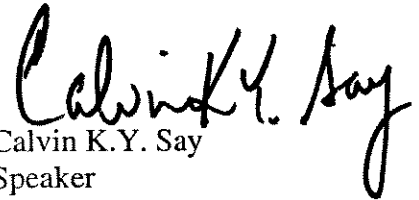


GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII


THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 17, 2006
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006.



Calvin K.Y. Say
Speaker
House of Representatives

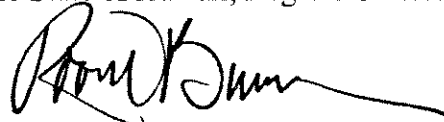


Patricia Mau-Shimizu
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: March 30, 2006
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Third Reading in the Senate of the Twenty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006.



President of the Senate



Clerk of the Senate