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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CULTURAL IMPACT STUDY.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 6E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended  
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to  
3 read as follows:

4           "§6E- Comprehensive cultural impact study. The state  
5 historic preservation division may require the conduct of a  
6 comprehensive cultural impact study whenever a land development  
7 is proposed in the State. The cultural impact study shall carry  
8 out the mission of this chapter to recognize, conserve, and  
9 develop the historic and cultural heritage of the State as an  
10 important asset for the enrichment of all of the State's  
11 residents."

12           SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

13           SECTION 3. This Act shall not apply to any development of  
14 land initiated prior to its effective date.

15           SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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**Report Title:**

Historic Preservation; Cultural Impact Study

**Description:**

Authorizes state historic preservation division of DLNR to require, for any proposed land developments, a comprehensive cultural impact study that recognizes, conserves, and develops the historic and cultural heritage of the State as an important asset for the enrichment of all of the State's residents.

