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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO RECYCLING PROGRAMS.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 46, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended  
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to  
3 read as follows:

4           "§46-    Onsite recycling programs; new buildings. (a)

5 Each county by ordinance shall develop a mandatory onsite  
6 recycling program for all buildings constructed on or after  
7 July 1, 2007. Under the program, new buildings shall be  
8 required to adhere to the county recycling plan, which may  
9 require onsite recycling facilities. Specifically, the program  
10 shall provide procedures for:

11           (1) The separation of the recyclable materials from other  
12           refuse;

13           (2) The collection of the recyclable materials; and

14           (3) The sale, recycling, or reuse of the recyclable  
15           materials.

16           (b) The mandatory onsite recycling plan shall not apply to  
17 an exempted building. For the purposes of this section,

18 "exempted building" means:



1        (1) Any building owned or leased in whole or in part by  
2                    the United States; and

3        (2) Any building constructed as a single family  
4                    residential dwelling.

5        (c) Each county shall adopt any ordinance required by this  
6 section by July 1, 2007, and each county shall adopt rules  
7 pursuant to chapter 91 to implement this section."

8            SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general  
9 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                    , or so  
10 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007, for  
11 a grant-in-aid to the city and county of Honolulu for  
12 implementing a mandatory onsite recycling program.

13            SECTION 3. The sum appropriated shall be expended by the  
14 city and county of Honolulu for the purposes of this Act.

15            SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general  
16 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$                    , or so  
17 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007, for  
18 a grant-in-aid to the county of Maui for implementing a  
19 mandatory onsite recycling program.

20            SECTION 5. The sum appropriated shall be expended by the  
21 county of Maui for the purposes of this Act.

1 SECTION 6. There is appropriated out of the general  
 2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ , or so  
 3 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007, for  
 4 a grant-in-aid to the county of Hawaii for implementing a  
 5 mandatory onsite recycling program.

6 SECTION 7. The sum appropriated shall be expended by the  
 7 county of Hawaii for the purposes of this Act.

8 SECTION 8. There is appropriated out of the general  
 9 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ , or so  
 10 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2006-2007, for  
 11 a grant-in-aid to the county of Kauai for implementing a  
 12 mandatory onsite recycling program.

13 SECTION 9. The sum appropriated shall be expended by the  
 14 county of Kauai for the purposes of this Act.

15 SECTION 10. New statutory material is underscored.

16 SECTION 11. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2006.

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**Report Title:**

Mandatory Recycling Program; New Buildings

**Description:**

Requires counties to adopt ordinances for mandatory onsite recycling programs in all buildings built after 7/1/07; appropriates money to each county to implement the programs.

