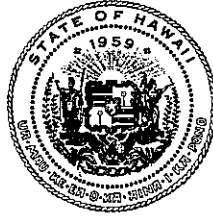


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on Senate Bill 2868, Senate Draft 1 – Relating To Archaeological Data

BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

February 25, 2008

Senate Bill 2868, Senate Draft 1, establishes and designates an archaeological data survey as an online data base program of the State of Hawaii Museum of Natural and Cultural History. While the Department of Land and Natural Resources (Department) acknowledges the safeguards incorporated in this measure, the Department nonetheless is mindful that the information that will be available by way of the data base is subject to physical accessibility by an unscrupulous individual and as such, threatens the protection of the site or artifact.