
HOUSE RESOLUTION

URGING THE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS TO NOT TRANSMIT VOTE INFORMATION
OVER TELEPHONE LINES AND THE INTERNET.

1 WHEREAS, maintaining public confidence in the voting
2 process is an issue of paramount importance; and

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4 WHEREAS, voting information that is transmitted over
5 telephone lines or the Internet may be susceptible to tampering;
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8 WHEREAS, the integrity of the voting process can be
9 protected by printing the information contained in voting
10 machines, including automatic tabulating equipment, and placing
11 the printed information into locked containers for transport to
12 the State Count Center; and

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14 WHEREAS, where voting machines use electronic storage
15 devices to record voting information, the security of the
16 electronic information can be protected by placing the storage
17 devices in locked containers for transport to the State Count
18 Center; now, therefore,

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20 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
21 Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session
22 of 2009, that the Office of Elections and all county clerks are
23 urged not to authorize, permit, or receive vote information
24 transmitted over telephone lines and the Internet; and

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26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
27 Resolution be transmitted to the Chief Election Officer, the
28 Chairperson of the Elections Commission, and the Clerk of each
29 county.
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OFFERED BY:





