

JAN 26 2009

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO STANDARDS OF CONDUCT.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 84-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§84-11 Gifts. No legislator or employee shall solicit,
4 accept, or receive, directly or indirectly, any gift, whether in
5 the form of money, service, loan, travel, entertainment,
6 hospitality, thing, or promise, or in any other form, from any
7 lobbyist under chapter 97 or any other person, under
8 circumstances in which it can reasonably be inferred that the
9 gift is intended to influence the legislator or employee in the
10 performance of the legislator's or employee's official duties or
11 is intended as a reward for any official action on the
12 legislator's or employee's part."

13 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:





Report Title:
Ethics; Gifts

Description:
Clarifies that the prohibition against a legislator or employee's solicitation, acceptance, or receipt of gifts applies to gifts from any lobbyist or other person.

