

JAN 23 2009

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO LOW-FLUSH TOILET.

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 "S46- Low flush toilets; mandatory installation. (a)
5 Effective July 1, 2010, every county building code shall require
6 that all toilets installed in new residential or commercial
7 buildings are low-flush toilets. For the purposes of this
8 section, "low-flush toilet" means a toilet that consumes no more
9 than gallons of water per flush.

10 (b) Nothing in this section shall preclude any county from
11 establishing procedures and standards required to implement this
12 section."

13 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2010.

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Report Title:

Water Conservation; Low-Flush Toilets

Description:

Requires the installation of low-flush toilets in all new buildings on or after 7/1/10.

