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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ARMED FORCES SERVICE MEMBERS.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 338, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:

4           "§338-       Disposition of body; armed forces service  
5 members. The person designated by the decedent as authorized to  
6 direct disposition on a United States Department of Defense  
7 Record of Emergency Data, DD Form 93, or its successor form, may  
8 arrange for the final disposition of the decedent's body,  
9 including cremation, if the decedent:

10           (1) Died while serving in any branch of the United States  
11           armed forces, United States reserve forces, or  
12           national guard; and

13           (2) Executed the United States Department of Defense  
14           Record of Emergency Data, DD Form 93, or its successor  
15           form."

16           SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

17           SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on January 7, 2059.



**Report Title:**

Disposition of Body; Armed Forces Services Members

**Description:**

Recognizes the federally prescribed DD Form 93, or its successor form, as an acceptable method of determining the person authorized to direct disposition of an armed forces service member's remains. Effective January 7, 2059. (HB49 HD1)

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