## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 421J, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated 3 and to read as follows: Errors in proxy voting. (a) Notwithstanding 4 5 any provision to the contrary, if, following a vote by the association, an error is discovered in any proxy given in 6 relation to that vote, the board, within forty-five days of the 7 discovery of the error, shall: 9 (1) Institute an adequate remedy; or (2) Hold another vote to decide the issue on the original 10 11 ballot. If no remedy or subsequent vote on the issue is instituted 12 within forty-five days of the discovery of the error, the 13 results of the vote shall be invalid. 14 (b) If an error in any proxy is discovered more than one 15 16 hundred twenty days after the date of a vote, the results of

that vote shall stand."

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- 1 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 2 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 3 begun before its effective date.
- 4 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 5 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

INTRODUCED BY:

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# H.B. NO. 2158

### Report Title:

Planned Community Associations; Proxy; Errors

### Description:

Provides for remedies in the event of the discovery of an error in any proxy.

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