
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO WASTEWATER.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 27-21.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "**§27-21.6 Functions reassigned to the counties.** The
4 following functions are hereby reassigned to the several
5 counties:

6 (1) The medical care of inmates of county jails;

7 (2) The rendering of medical investigatory services
8 requested by the police;

9 (3) Physical examinations of employees to the extent that
10 such functions had been performed immediately prior to
11 the adoption of Act 97, Session Laws of Hawaii 1965;

12 (4) The care and treatment of county workers' compensation
13 cases to the extent that such functions had been
14 performed immediately prior to the adoption of Act 97,
15 Session Laws of Hawaii 1965; and

16 (5) The regulation of the design, construction, and
17 operation of individual wastewater systems and private
18 wastewater treatment works[~~r~~]; provided that [~~the~~]:



1 (A) The transfer of this function to each county
2 shall take place on the date that the expenditure
3 of start-up funds is made by the State to such
4 county for this purpose[-]; and
5 (B) No county shall prohibit, based upon proximity to
6 a county operated wastewater treatment system,
7 the use of an otherwise authorized individual
8 wastewater treatment system as an on-site means
9 of wastewater disposal in lieu of wastewater
10 treatment works."

11 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
12 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

13 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title:

Counties; Wastewater; Individual Systems

Description:

Provides that a county may not prohibit, based upon proximity to a county sewer system, the use of an otherwise authorized individual wastewater system as an on-site means of wastewater disposal in lieu of wastewater treatment works.

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