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June 26, 2013

GOV. MSG. NO. 1310

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Kim, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on June 26, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

HB235 HD1 SD1 CD1

RELATING TO COLLECTION OF RESTITUTION
FOR CRIME VICTIMS
ACT 207 (13)

Aloha
Sincerely,
Neil Abercrombie

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawaii

Approved by the Governor

on JUN 26 2013

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE, 2013
STATE OF HAWAII

ACT 207

H.B. NO. 235
H.D. 1
S.D. 1
C.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO COLLECTION OF RESTITUTION FOR CRIME VICTIMS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 706-646, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (1) to read as follows:

3 "(1) As used in this section, "victim" includes any of the
4 following:

5 (a) The direct victim of a crime including a business
6 entity, trust, or governmental entity;

7 (b) If the victim dies as a result of the crime, a
8 surviving relative of the victim as defined in chapter
9 351; [~~or~~]

10 (c) A governmental entity that has reimbursed the victim
11 for losses arising as a result of the crime or paid
12 for medical care provided to the victim as a result of
13 the crime[~~or~~]; or

14 (d) Any duly incorporated humane society or duly
15 incorporated society for the prevention of cruelty to
16 animals, contracted with the county or State to
17 enforce animal-related statutes or ordinances, that
18 impounds, holds, or receives custody of a pet animal



1 pursuant to section 711-1109.1, 711-1109.2, or
2 711-1110.5; provided that this section does not apply
3 to costs that have already been contracted and
4 provided for by the counties or State."

5 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

APPROVED this 26 day of JUN, 2013

Neil Abercrombie



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

