

NEIL ABERCROMBIE

July 8, 2013

GOV. MSG. NO. 1375

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 July 8, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

HB619 HD1 SD1

RELATING TO FERAL BIRDS ACT 269 (13)

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawaii

ACT 265

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

H.B. NO.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FERAL BIRDS.

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

- SECTION 1. Section 322-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 1 2 amended to read as follows: "\$322-1 Removal, prevention. The department of health and 3 its agents shall examine into all nuisances, foul or noxious 4 odors, gases or vapors, water in which mosquito larvae exist, 5 6 sources of filth, and all causes of sickness or disease, on 7 shore, and in any vessel, which may be known to them or brought to their attention, which in their opinion are dangerous or 8 9 injurious to health, and into any and all conditions created or existing which cause or tend to cause sickness or disease or to 10 11 be dangerous or injurious to health, and shall cause the same to be abated, destroyed, removed, or prevented. 12 For purposes of this [section,] part, a nuisance shall
- 13 14 include [toxie]:
- Toxic materials that are used in or by-products of the 15 (1) 16 manufacture or conversion of methamphetamine, and 17 clandestine drug labs that manufacture
- 18 methamphetamine[-]; and

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(2) Odors and filth resulting from a person feeding feral 1 2 birds." 3 SECTION 2. Section 322-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 4 amended to read as follows: 5 "§322-6 Who to report nuisances. The sheriff [and], all 6 officers of police, and physicians $[\tau]$ shall report to the 7 department of health, or its nearest authorized agent, the 8 existence of any nuisance injurious to the public health, of 9 which any of them may be cognizant, as soon as possible after it 10 comes to their knowledge. Any individual may report to the 11 department of health, or its nearest authorized agent, the 12 existence of any nuisance injurious to the public health as soon 13 as possible after the individual learns of the existence of the 14 nuisance." 15 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that 16 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were 17 begun before its effective date. 18 SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed

and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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APPROVED this 8 day of JUL , 2013

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII