



GOV. MSG. NO. 1351

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
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DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

July 12, 2016

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

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

This is to inform you that on July 12, 2016, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2030 HD1 SD2 CD1

RELATING TO POLLUTION
ACT 248 (16)

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO POLLUTION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 342D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§342D- Treated or raw sewage; prohibition. (a)
5 Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, no person,
6 including any public body, shall discharge any treated or raw
7 sewage into state waters after December 31, 2026; provided that
8 this section shall not apply to a sewage treatment plant that:

9 (1) Utilizes sewage to produce clean energy pursuant to
10 section 196-10.5; and

11 (2) Is in compliance with this chapter, rules adopted
12 pursuant to this chapter, or a permit or variance
13 issued by the director.

14 (b) Nothing in this section shall be construed to:

15 (1) Prohibit the use of reclaimed or recycled water for a
16 beneficial purpose as provided by law; or



1 (2) Allow the discharge of treated or raw sewage into
2 state waters in violation of any federal statute,
3 rule, or regulation."

4 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

5 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2016.

APPROVED this 12 day of JUL , 2016



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

