



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
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DAVID Y. IGE  
GOVERNOR

July 11, 2017

**GOV. MSG. NO. 1302**

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

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,  
Speaker and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

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

This is to inform you that on July 11, 2017, the following bill was signed into law:

SB322 SD1 HD1 CD1

RELATING TO COURT JURISDICTION  
**ACT 188 (17)**

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO COURT JURISDICTION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 603-21.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

3 "(b) The several circuit courts shall have concurrent  
4 jurisdiction with the family court over:

5 (1) Any felony under section 571-14, violation of an order  
6 issued pursuant to chapter 586, or a violation of  
7 section 709-906 when multiple offenses are charged  
8 through complaint or indictment and at least one other  
9 offense is a criminal offense under subsection (a)(1);

10 (2) Any felony under section 571-14 when multiple offenses  
11 are charged through complaint or indictment and at  
12 least one other offense is a violation of an order  
13 issued pursuant to chapter 586, a violation of section  
14 709-903.5, 709-904, 709-905, or 709-906, or a  
15 misdemeanor under the jurisdiction of section 604-8;

16 (3) Any violation of section 711-1106.4; and



1 (4) Guardianships and related proceedings concerning  
2 incapacitated adults pursuant to article V of chapter  
3 560."

4 SECTION 2. Section 604-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
5 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

6 "(b) The district court shall have concurrent jurisdiction  
7 with the family court of any violation of an order issued  
8 pursuant to chapter 586 or any violation of section 709-904,  
9 709-905, or 709-906 when multiple offenses are charged and at  
10 least one other offense is a criminal offense within the  
11 jurisdiction of the district courts."

12 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
13 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
14 begun before its effective date.

15 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

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

APPROVED this 11 day of JUL, 2017





GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

**THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII**

Date: May 2, 2017  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the  
Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2017.

  
President of the Senate

  
Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 322, SD 1, HD 1, CD 1

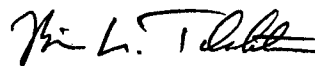
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2017  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2017.



Joseph M. Souki  
Speaker  
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives