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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO POLLUTION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 342D-50.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 repealed.

3 ~~["§342D-50.5 Treated or raw sewage; prohibition. (a)~~
4 ~~Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, no person,~~
5 ~~including any public body, shall discharge any treated or raw~~
6 ~~sewage into state waters after December 31, 2026; provided that~~
7 ~~this section shall not apply to a sewage treatment plant that:~~

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

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

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

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



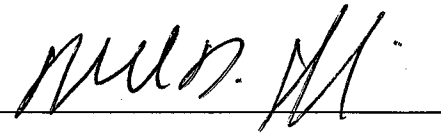
1 ~~(2) Allow the discharge of treated or raw sewage into~~
2 ~~state waters in violation of any federal statute,~~
3 ~~rule, or regulation."]~~

4 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
5 and stricken.

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

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INTRODUCED BY: _____

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By Request



S.B. NO. 524

Report Title:

Pollution; Sewage Discharge; Prohibition; Repeal

Description:

Repeals the law prohibiting the discharge of treated or raw sewage into state waters after December 31, 2026.

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