A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FLOOD MITIGATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. (a) The Hawaii emergency management agency
- 2 shall develop strategic regional flood plans that shall address
- 3 flood mitigation, flood water retention, flood diversion, and
- 4 catastrophic floods.
- 5 The plans shall become effective on December 31, 2020.
- **6** (b) The agency shall submit to the legislature a written
- 7 report of its progress in developing plans, including any
- 8 findings, recommendations, and proposed legislation, no later
- 9 than twenty days prior to the convening of the regular session
- **10** of 2019.
- 11 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

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Report Title:

Watershed; Flood Mitigation; Hawaii Emergency Management Agency; Plans

Description:

Requires the Hawaii Emergency Management Agency to develop strategic regional flood plans. (HB1977 HD1)

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