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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.

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

SECTION 1. Section 27-43, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsections (a) and (b) to read as follows:

"(a) There is established within the department of accounting and general services the office of enterprise technology services, which shall be headed by a full-time chief information officer to organize, manage, and oversee statewide information technology governance. The chief information officer shall ~~[be appointed by the governor as provided in section 26-34.]~~ serve at the pleasure of the information technology steering committee, and shall serve for a term of six years. The chief information officer shall report directly to the ~~[governor]~~ information technology steering committee and, in conjunction with the information technology steering committee, shall:

- (1) Develop, implement, and manage statewide information technology governance;



- 1 (2) Develop, implement, and manage the state information
2 technology strategic plans;
- 3 (3) Develop and implement statewide technology standards;
- 4 (4) Work with each executive branch department and agency
5 to develop and maintain its respective multi-year
6 information technology strategic and tactical plans
7 and road maps that are part of the State's overall
8 information technology strategic plans, road maps, and
9 directions;
- 10 (5) Coordinate each executive branch department and
11 agency's information technology budget request,
12 forecast, and procurement purchase to ensure
13 compliance with the department or agency's strategic
14 plan and road map and with the office of enterprise
15 technology services' information technology governance
16 processes and enterprise architecture policies and
17 standards, including policies and standards for
18 systems, services, hardware, software, and security
19 management;



(6) Report annually to the governor and the legislature on the status and implementation of the state information technology strategic plan;

(7) Perform other necessary or desirable functions to facilitate the intent of this section;

(8) Employ persons exempt from chapters 76 and 89;

(9) Provide centralized computer information management and processing services, coordination in the use of all information processing equipment, software, facilities, and services in the executive branch of the State, and consultation and support services in the use of information processing and management technologies to improve the efficiency, effectiveness, and productivity of state government programs;

(10) Establish, coordinate, and manage a program to provide a means for public access to public information and develop and operate an information network in conjunction with overall plans for establishing a communication backbone for state government; and

(11) Adopt rules, pursuant to chapter 91, necessary for the purposes of this part.



1 (b) There is established an information technology
2 steering committee to assist the chief information officer in
3 developing the State's information technology standards and
4 policies, including but not limited to:

5 (1) Assisting the chief information officer in developing
6 and implementing the state information technology
7 strategic plans;

8 (2) Assessing executive branch departments' progress in
9 meeting the objectives defined in the state
10 information technology strategic plans and identifying
11 best practices for shared or consolidated services;

12 (3) Ensuring technology projects are selected based on
13 their potential impact and risk to the State, as well
14 as their strategic value;

15 (4) Ensuring that executive branch departments maintain
16 sufficient tools to assess the value and benefits of
17 technology initiatives;

18 (5) Assisting the chief information officer in developing
19 state information technology standards and policies;
20 and



(6) Clarifying the roles, responsibilities, and authority of the office of enterprise technology services, specifically as it relates to its statewide duties.

The information technology steering committee shall consist of eleven members, with four members to be appointed by the senate president, four members to be appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives, one member to be appointed by the chief justice, and one member to be appointed by the governor, and shall include representatives from executive branch departments, including large user agencies such as the department of education and the University of Hawaii; the judiciary; the legislature; and private individuals. The ~~chief information officer shall serve as the chair of the committee~~ and] members shall elect from among themselves a chairperson, who shall ensure that the committee is evaluated periodically. The information technology steering committee shall hire and, at the steering committee's pleasure, dismiss the chief information officer."

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

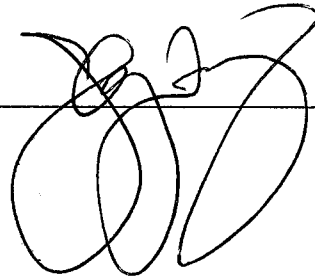


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1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.

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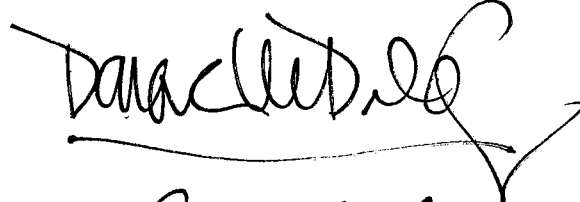
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Report Title:

Chief Information Officer; Information Technology Steering Committee

Description:

Makes the state chief information officer subject to hiring and dismissal by the information technology steering committee, rather than the governor, and removes the chief information officer as chair of the information technology steering committee. Requires the information technology steering committee to elect a chairperson from among themselves.

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