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DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

April 16, 2021

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, President of the Senate and Members of the Senate Thirty-First State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813 The Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Thirty-First 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 April 16, 2021, the following bill was signed into law:

HB199 HD1

RELATING TO ELECTION PROCLAMATIONS ACT 007 (21)

Sincerely,

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David Y. Ige Governor, State of Hawai'i

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Approved by the Governor on ______APR 16 2021

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE, 2021 STATE OF HAWAII

ACT 007 H.B. NO.¹⁹⁹

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ELECTION PROCLAMATIONS.

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

SECTION 1. Section 11-91, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 amended to read as follows:

"\$11-91 Proclamation. [Not] No later than 4:30 p.m. on
the tenth day [prior to] before the close of filing in elections
involving state offices, the chief election officer shall issue
an election proclamation. In elections involving only county
offices the clerk shall issue the proclamation. In elections
involving both state and county offices the proclamation may be
issued jointly.

10 The proclamation shall contain a statement of the [time-and 11 places where, and the] purposes for which $[\tau]$ the election is to 12 be held, and a designation of the offices and the terms thereof 13 for which candidates are to be nominated or elected. It may 14 also contain any other relevant matter including an offer of 15 rewards for the detection and conviction of offenders against 16 the election laws. The chief election officer or clerk shall 17 cause the election proclamation to be published at least once in

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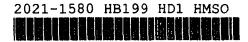
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a newspaper of general circulation and [not] no later than on 1 the tenth day [prior to] before the close of filing." 2 SECTION 2. Section 11-92.1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 3 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows: 4 5 The [chief election officer] clerk shall issue a "(a) proclamation listing all voter service centers and places of 6 deposit, including the days each voter service center and place 7 8 of deposit is open and the hours of operations and location of each voter service center and place of deposit, as may have been 9 10 determined by the clerk as of the proclamation date. The clerk 11 shall make arrangements for the rental or erection of suitable 12 shelter for the establishment of a voter service center whenever 13 public buildings are not available and shall cause these voter 14 service centers to be equipped with the necessary facilities for lighting, ventilation, and equipment needed for elections on any 15 16 island. This proclamation may be issued jointly with the proclamation required in section 11-91." 17 18 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed 19 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



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APPROVED this 10 day of APR , 2021

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

HB No. 199, HD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: March 9, 2021 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2021.

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Scott K. Saiki Speaker House of Representatives

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Brian L. Takeshita Chief Clerk House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: APR 0 1 2021 Honolulu, Hawaii

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Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2021.

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President of the Senate

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Carol T. Taniguchi Clerk of the Senate