

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ETHICS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 97-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "§97-4 Manner of filing; public records. All statements
- 4 required by this chapter to be filed with the state ethics
- 5 commission:
- 6 (1) Shall be deemed properly filed when delivered or
- deposited in an established post office within the
- 8 prescribed time, duly stamped, registered, or
- 9 certified, and directed to the state ethics
- 10 commission; provided, however, in the event it is not
- received, a duplicate of the statement shall be
- 12 promptly filed upon notice by the state ethics
- commission of its nonreceipt; and
- 14 (2) Shall be preserved by the state ethics commission for
- a period of [four] five years from the date of filing;
- and shall constitute part of the public records of the
- 17 state ethics commission."

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| 1 | SECTION | 2. | Statutory | material | to | be | repealed | is | bracketed |
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- 2 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Hawaii State Ethics Commission; Records Retention

Description:

Increases the retention period for certain Hawaii state ethics commission records from 4 years to 5 years.

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