

# GOV. MSG. NO. 1203

## EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

### JUN 17 2022

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
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

JIIN 17 2022 , the following bill was signed into law:

HB2169 HD1 SD2 CD1

RELATING TO THE COMPREHENSIVE OFFENDER REENTRY SYSTEM. **ACT 103** 

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

### **ORIGINAL**

### Approved by the Governor

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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE COMPREHENSIVE OFFENDER REENTRY SYSTEM.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 353H-32, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "§353H-32 Offender reentry; identification documents. (a)
- 4 The department, in collaboration with the department of
- 5 transportation and the examiner of drivers of each county, shall
- 6 inform inmates that departmental assistance is available to
- 7 obtain civil identification cards, in accordance with part XVI
- 8 of chapter 286, and upon request shall [issue civil
- 9 identification eards to assist inmates who have one year or
- 10 less prior to the inmate's parole or release date remaining on
- 11 their prison sentence [-] in obtaining a civil identification
- 12 card.
- (b) The department, in collaboration with appropriate
- 14 federal, state, and county agencies, shall also inform inmates
- 15 of the availability of departmental assistance to obtain the
- 16 inmate's birth certificate, social security card, and any other
- 17 relevant identification documents necessary for the inmate to

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- 1 transition into the workforce, access social services, secure or
- 2 verify applicable medicaid eligibility, and secure housing, and
- 3 upon request shall assist the inmates who have one year or less
- 4 prior to the inmate's parole or release date.
- 5 (c) For an inmate released to work furlough, extended
- 6 furlough, or community placement programs, the department of
- 7 public safety shall initiate the process of assisting the inmate
- 8 pursuant to subsections (a) and (b) at least ninety days prior
- 9 to the inmate being released[+] by providing the forms necessary
- 10 for the inmate to obtain civil identification cards to the
- 11 inmate.
- (d) Any form the department provides pursuant to this
- 13 section shall be in the inmate's primary language."
- 14 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 15 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 16 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.

APPROVED this 17 day of June , 2022

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAI

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HB No. 2169, HD 1, SD 2, CD 1

#### THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 3, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.

am

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 HAWAI'I

Date: May 3, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2022.

Clerk of the Senate

President of the Senate