

GOV. MSG. NO. 1265

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

June 27, 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 June 27, 2022, the following bill was signed into law:

HB1472 HD1 SD1

RELATING TO THE WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION SIGNATURES. **ACT 164**

Sincerely,

Governor, State of Hawai'i

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Approved by the Governor

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE, 2022 STATE OF HAWAII ACT 164
H.B. NO. H.D. 1472
S.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION SIGNATURES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 11-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "[+] §11-6[+] Petitions; withdrawal of signatures.
- 4 Wherever in this chapter the signatures of registered voters are
- 5 required on a petition, any voter who, after signing a petition,
- 6 seeks to withdraw the voter's signature may do so by providing
- 7 notice in writing to the chief election officer any time before
- 8 the filing of the petition. The notice shall include [the name,
- 9 social security number, address, and birthdate of the voter and
- 10 must be signed by the voter with the name under which the voter
- 11 is registered to vote.] the voter's name, residence address, the
- 12 month and date portions of the voter's date of birth, the
- 13 voter's signature, and a statement that the voter wishes to
- 14 remove the voter's signature from the petition; provided that
- 15 the written notice shall not require the voter's social security
- 16 number or any portion thereof and the year portion of the
- 17 voter's date of birth. Upon receipt of that notice containing

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- 1 the information required by this section, the chief election
- 2 officer shall notify the group or individual to whom the
- 3 petition was issued and the signature of the individual shall
- 4 not be counted."
- 5 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 6 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 7 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 27th day of June

, 2022

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

HB No. 1472, HD 1, SD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 22, 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.

Scott K. Saiki Speaker House of Representatives

This 2: I letter

Brian L. Takeshita

Chief Clerk

House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: March 28, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate