



GOV. MSG. NO. 1428

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE  
GOVERNOR

July 12, 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 July 12, 2022, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2295 SD2 HD2 CD1

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF  
TRANSPORTATION.

**ACT 299**

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

Approved by the Governor  
on JUL 12 2022

ACT 299

THE SENATE  
THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE, 2022  
STATE OF HAWAII

S.B. NO. 2295  
S.D. 2  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. The Hawaii Revised Statutes is amended by  
2 adding a new chapter to title 15 to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:

### "CHAPTER

### ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING

6 § -1 Sea level rise; transportation projects. The  
7 department of transportation shall plan for sea level rise based  
8 upon the latest science, estimates, and recommendations of the  
9 Hawaii climate change mitigation and adaptation commission in  
10 all future or amended transportation projects.

11 § -2 Carbon concrete standards. All department of  
12 transportation highway, harbor, and airport projects shall  
13 conform to the applicable carbon concrete standards contained in  
14 division 600 of the highways division of the department of  
15 transportation's special provisions for standard specifications  
16 dated July 10, 2020. The director of transportation may issue  
17 an exemption to carbon concrete standards upon a determination  
18 that such exemption is necessary or when specific projects



1 require that different procedures are mandated under federal  
2 law."

3 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.

S.B. NO. 2295  
S.D. 2  
H.D. 2  
C.D. 1

APPROVED this 12th day of July, 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David I. Byrne", with a stylized flourish at the end.


GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

**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.

  
President of the Senate

  
Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 2295, SD 2, HD 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.



Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker  
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives