

GOV. MSG. NO. 1279

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS KE KE'ENA O KE KIA'ĀINA

JOSH GREEN, M.D. GOVERNOR KE KIA'ĀINA

July 3, 2023

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate, and Members of the Senate Thirty-Second State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki Speaker, and Members of the House of Representatives Thirty-Second State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on July 3, 2023, the following bill was signed into law:

HB11 HD2 SD1 CD1

RELATING TO TIME SHARING PLANS. **ACT 176**

Sincerely,

Josh Green, M.D.

Governor, State of Hawai'i

Approved by the Governor

on JUL 3 2023

ACT 176

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 2023 STATE OF HAWAII H.B. NO. H.D. 2 S.D. 1 C.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TIME SHARING PLANS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 514E-9, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows: Any offering of a time sharing plan to the public 3 4 shall disclose: 5 The name and address of the developer and of the time (1)share units; 36 7 (2)The name and address of the plan manager, if any, and 8 a description of the plan manager's responsibilities 9 and authority; 10 (3)A description of the time share units, including the 11 developer's schedule for completion of all buildings, 12 units, and amenities and dates of availability; 13 If the time share plan is located in a condominium (4)14 property regime, a description of the project and, if 15 the purchaser will own an undivided interest in a fee 16 simple or leasehold condominium unit in the

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1		condominium project, a brief description of any
2		pertinent provisions of the project instruments;
3	(5)	Any restraints on the transfer of the buyer's time
4		share interest in the time share units or plan;
5	(6)	Whether the time share plan is a time share ownership
6		plan or a time share use plan, along with a
7		description of the rights and responsibilities under
8		said plan;
9	(7)	A statement that there is a seven-calendar-day period
10		of mutual rescission;
11	(8)	A statement that pursuant to section 514E-11.3, every
12		sale or transfer, made in violation of this chapter is
13		voidable at the election of the purchaser;
14	(9)	Notice of any material liens, title defects, or
15		encumbrances on or affecting the title to the units or
16		plan[+] and any other lien, title defect, or
17		encumbrance impacting a purchaser's utilization of the
18		property, as the director may require. For all other
19		liens, title defects, and encumbrances, in lieu of
20		listing these in the disclosure statement, a reference
21		may be made to a website by way of link or otherwise,

1		wherein these items may be listed and thereby
2		disclosed, and be available for review along with a
3		statement that the developer has determined that these
4		liens, title defects, and encumbrances are not
5		expected to directly, substantially, and adversely
6		impact utilization of the property by a purchaser;
7	(10)	Notice of any pending or anticipated suits that are
8		material to the time share units or plan, of which the
9		developer has, or should have, knowledge;
10	(11)	The total financial obligation of the purchaser, which
11		shall consist of:
12		(A) A statement that the purchaser is obligated to
13		pay the initial price stated in the purchaser's
14		purchase agreement; and
15		(B) A list or description of any additional charges
16		to which the purchaser may be subject;
17	(12)	An estimate of the dues, maintenance fees, real
18		property taxes, and similar periodic expenses, and the
19		method or formula by which they are derived and
20		apportioned;

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1	(13)	The disclosure statement under subsection (d), if
2		applicable; [and]
3	(14)	A list of the primary plan documents.
4		For purposes of this paragraph:
5	·•	"Primary plan documents" means the constituent
6		documents of the time share plan, including any time
7		share declaration; any trust agreement; the articles
8		of incorporation and bylaws of the association, if the
9		association is a corporation, or the operating
10		agreement or similar organizational document, if the
11		association is a limited liability company or other
12		entity; the rules for reserving the use of the time
13		share units; and the rules and regulations governing
14		the occupancy of the time share units. "Primary plan
15		documents" does not include supplementary plan
16		documents.
17		"Supplementary plan documents" means any
18		declaration of annexation, active property
19		declaration, notice of access, notice of conveyance,
20		notice of activation, deed conveying property to the
21		trustee of a time share plan or to the association,

1		and other instruments submitting or committing
2		property to the time share plan or removing property
3		from the time share plan. To the extent that any
4		documents modify the terms and provisions of the time
5		share plan as established in the existing primary plan
6		documents, for example, by establishing a new class or
7		category of time share interest having rights that
8		differ from existing time share interests in the time
9	/	share plan, the documents shall constitute primary
10		plan documents and shall not constitute supplementary
11		plan documents; and
12	[(14)]	(15) Other disclosures required by the director, as
13		provided by rules adopted pursuant to chapter 91."
14	SECTI	ON 2. Section 514E-10.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
15	amended to	read as follows:
16	"§51 <i>4</i>	E-10.5 Consultant review of developer filing. The
17	director m	may contract with private consultants in connection
18	with the r	eview of the filing required of time share developers
19	pursuant t	to section $514E-10(a)$ and $[+](e)[+]$. The cost of
20	contractin	ng private consultants shall be borne by the developer;
21	provided t	that the consultant review required under this section

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- 1 shall not affect the scope of the review under section 514E-27
- 2 that the director may request for filings that encompass
- 3 alternative arrangements for purchaser protection. The
- 4 consultant shall be asked to thoroughly review the filing for
- 5 the purpose of examining its compliance with the requirements of
- 6 this chapter and any rule adopted by the director, including the
- 7 documentation and other provided materials [-]; provided that in
- 8 lieu of reviewing copies of all encumbrances on title, the
- 9 consultant shall accept a certification from the developer that
- 10 the developer has reviewed all encumbrances on title and has
- 11 determined that the time share interest being sold is free and
- 12 clear of blanket liens or other material encumbrances that may
- 13 directly, substantially, and adversely impact utilization of the
- 14 property by a purchaser, or if that is not the case, identifying
- 15 the blanket liens or other material encumbrances and either
- 16 specifying how those encumbrances will be addressed or what the
- 17 impact of the encumbrances may be to the purchaser. Upon
- 18 completing the review, the consultant shall provide a written
- 19 analysis of the filing and an opinion of the nature and extent
- 20 to which it complies with this chapter and adopted rules. The
- 21 director may adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91 to further

- 1 delineate the duties of the consultant in undertaking the review
- 2 and analysis required pursuant to this section."
- 3 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 4 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 5 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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APPROVED this 3rd day of July , 2023

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

HB No. 11, HD 2, SD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2023 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2023.

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Scott K. Saiki Speaker House of Representatives

Brian L. Takeshita

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Chief Clerk

House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: May 2, 2023

Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-Second Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2023.

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate