

JOSH GREEN, M.D.  
GOVERNOR  
KE KIA'ĀINA



GOV. MSG. NO. 1123

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
KE KE'ENA O KE KIA'ĀINA

April 22, 2025

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

The Honorable Nadine Nakamura  
Speaker, and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Thirty-Third State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Aloha President Kouchi, Speaker Nakamura, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on April 22, 2025, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. NO. 995

RELATING TO FIREARMS REPORTING.  
**ACT 023**

Mahalo,

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Josh Green, M.D.  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

Approved by the Governor  
on APR 22 2025

ACT 023  
H.B. NO. 995

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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREARMS REPORTING.

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

1       SECTION 1. Section 134-9.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3       " ~~[f]~~ §134-9.6 ~~[f]~~ Annual report on licenses to carry. (a)  
4 ~~[No later than April 1, 2024, and April 1 of each year~~  
5 ~~thereafter, the]~~ The department of the attorney general shall  
6 publish ~~[a]~~ an annual report on its publicly available website  
7 that includes, if available:

- 8       (1) The number of licenses to carry applied for, issued,  
9       revoked, and denied, further categorized by the age,  
10       gender, race, and county of residence of each  
11       applicant or licensee;
- 12       (2) The specific reasons for each revocation and denial;
- 13       (3) Analysis of denials based on applicants' failure to  
14       meet the standards of section 134-9(d), and  
15       recommendations to remedy any disparities in denial  
16       rates by age, gender, or race;
- 17       (4) The number of appeals and appeals granted; and
- 18       (5) The number of violations of section 134-9.1.

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1 (b) No later than [~~February 1~~] March 31 of each year, the  
2 chief of police of each county shall [~~supply~~] provide to the  
3 department of the attorney general [~~with~~] the data for the prior  
4 calendar year that the department requires to complete the  
5 report under subsection (a)."

6 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
7 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

8 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

Nadine K. Platterman

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BY REQUEST

JAN 21 2025

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APPROVED this 22nd day of April, 2025

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

HB No. 995

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: February 28, 2025  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025.



Nadine K. Nakamura  
Speaker  
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: APR 08 2025  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Third Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025.



Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate



Carol T. Taniguchi  
Clerk of the Senate