

ACT 29

H.B. NO. 2318

A Bill for an Act Relating to Confidential Personal Information.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

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

**“CHAPTER
DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS RECORDS**

§ -1 Government records and personal records; department of Hawaiian home lands. (a) The following government records maintained by the department of Hawaiian home lands shall not be required to be publicly disclosed or made open to inspection pursuant to public records requests under section 92F-11:

- (1) Loan applications, loan prequalification documents, loan approval documents, underwriting findings, financial data forms, and financial assessments except where disclosure is required by section 92F-12(a)(8);
 - (2) Any consent to release personal information permitting the department of Hawaiian home lands to access birth, marriage, and death certificates and other documents in the application or lessee file to assist the family or individual designated by the applicant or lessee with the processing of an application or lease award;
 - (3) Designation of successor to a lease;
 - (4) Designation of successor to application rights for a homestead lease;
 - (5) Requests to succeed to a homestead lease; and
 - (6) Requests to succeed to application rights.
- (b) The Hawaiian homes commission may hold an executive meeting as provided in section 92-4 for the purpose of discussing the records made exempt from public disclosure by subsection (a) in the same manner as for the purposes listed in section 92-5(a).”

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.

(Approved June 7, 2018.)