



GOV. MSG. NO. 1151

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NEIL ABERCROMBIE
GOVERNOR

April 23, 2012

The Honorable Shan Tsutsui, President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813


The Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker
and Members of the House
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Tsutsui, Speaker Say and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on April 23, 2012, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2598 HD1

RELATING TO PRE-SENTENCE REPORTS.
Act 051 (12)

Sincerely,

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawaii

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PRE-SENTENCE REPORTS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 706-602, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "**§706-602 Pre-sentence diagnosis, notice to victims, and**
4 **report.** (1) The pre-sentence diagnosis and report shall be
5 made by personnel assigned to the court [~~, intake service center~~]
6 or other agency designated by the court and shall include:

- 7 (a) An analysis of the circumstances attending the
8 commission of the crime;
- 9 (b) The defendant's history of delinquency or criminality,
10 physical and mental condition, family situation and
11 background, economic status and capacity to make
12 restitution or to make reparation to the victim or
13 victims of the defendant's crimes for loss or damage
14 caused thereby, education, occupation, and personal
15 habits;
- 16 (c) Information made available by the victim or other
17 source concerning the effect that the crime committed
18 by the defendant has had upon said victim, including



1 but not limited to, any physical or psychological harm
2 or financial loss suffered;

3 (d) Information concerning defendant's compliance or non-
4 compliance with any order issued under section 806-11;
5 and

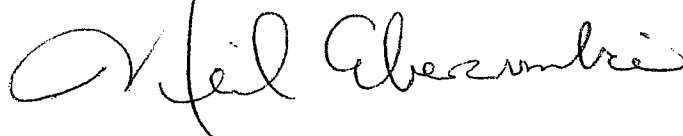
6 (e) Any other matters that the reporting person or agency
7 deems relevant or the court directs to be included.

8 (2) The court personnel [~~service center~~] or agency shall
9 give notice of the crime victim compensation act, the
10 application for compensation procedure, and the possibility of
11 restitution by the defendant to all victims of the convicted
12 defendant's criminal acts."

13 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
14 and stricken.

15 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2012.

APPROVED this 23 day of APR, 2012



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

