
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLICATION OF ELECTION NOTICES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 11, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
2 by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§11- Publication of election notices. Notwithstanding
5 any other statute, law, charter provision, ordinance, or rule to
6 the contrary, whenever an election officer is required to issue
7 a public notice in a statewide or county publication, the
8 publication requirement shall be deemed satisfied upon the
9 submission of the notice to the publication, provided that the
10 notice is also posted on the website associated with the
11 election officer. The inadvertent failure of a publication to
12 publish a notice in a timely manner shall not invalidate any
13 legal consequences or actions associated with the notice."

14 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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Report Title:

Office of Elections Package; Election Notices; Publication

Description:

Provides that whenever an election officer is required to issue a public notice in a statewide or county publication, the publication requirement is satisfied upon the submission of the notice to the publication, provided that the notice is also posted on the website associated with the election officer.

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