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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 107-27, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended to read as follows:  
3           "**§107-27 Design of state buildings.** (a) No later than  
4 one year after the adoption of codes or standards pursuant to  
5 section 107-24(c), the design of all state building construction  
6 shall be in compliance with the Hawaii state building codes,  
7 except state building construction shall be allowed to be  
8 exempted from:  
9           (1) County codes that have not adopted the Hawaii state  
10           building codes;  
11           (2) Any county code amendments that are inconsistent with  
12           the minimum performance objectives of the Hawaii state  
13           building codes or the objectives enumerated in this  
14           part; or  
15           (3) Any county code amendments that are contrary to code  
16           amendments adopted by another county.



1 (b) Exemptions shall include county ordinances allowing  
2 the exercise of indigenous Hawaiian architecture adopted in  
3 accordance with section 46-1.55.

4 (c) The State shall consider hurricane resistant criteria  
5 when designing and constructing new public schools for the  
6 capability of providing shelter refuge."

7 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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



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**Report Title:**

Public Safety; Public Improvements; State Building Design and Construction; New Public Schools; Disaster Preparedness; Hurricane; Standards

**Description:**

Requires the State to consider hurricane resistant criteria when designing and constructing new public schools for the capability of providing shelter refuge. (CD1)

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