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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER, IN CONJUNCTION WITH
THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY STEERING COMMITTEE, TO DEVELOP
STATE STRATEGIC OPEN DATA GOALS AND OBJECTIVES.

1 WHEREAS, the commitment of the leadership of the state
2 government to long-term strategic business and information
3 technology transformation is essential to:

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- 5 (1) Successfully harnessing the power of technology to
6 increase service quality and satisfaction for the
7 State's people on any island and at any time;
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 - 9 (2) Elevating the State's work force to compete within a
10 twenty-first century economy that provides livable
11 wages;
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 - 13 (3) Securing and protecting citizens' data and privacy in
14 the modern era; and
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 - 16 (4) Promoting cost-efficiency, effectiveness, and
17 transparency in the use of taxpayer funds; and
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19 WHEREAS, many states and major municipalities across the
20 United States have adopted open data-driven policies that
21 require government agencies to collect and publish data and
22 promote data collection and sharing in the private sector, in
23 recognition that access to empirical data is critical for
24 decision makers to make informed decisions in the interest of
25 citizens; and

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27 WHEREAS, the State's long-standing decentralized approach
28 to information technology management places data within
29 individual departments and agencies across the Executive branch,
30 limiting opportunities to integrate systems that would promote
31 the State's open data goal; and

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1 WHEREAS, the Information Technology Steering Committee was
2 established pursuant to section 27-43(b), Hawaii Revised
3 Statutes, to assist the Chief Information Officer in developing
4 information technology standards and policies; and
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6 WHEREAS, the Information Technology Steering Committee has
7 a diverse public- and private-sector stakeholder representation;
8 the Committee consists of eleven members representing all three
9 branches of state government, with four members appointed by the
10 President of the Senate, four members appointed by the Speaker
11 of House of Representatives, one member appointed by the Chief
12 Justice, and one member appointed by the Governor, and includes
13 representatives from the Executive branch departments,
14 Judiciary, and Legislature, private individuals, with the Chief
15 Information Officer serving as the chair; and
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17 WHEREAS, in fiscal year 2018, the Chief Information
18 Officer, in conjunction with the Information Technology Steering
19 Committee, helped each Executive branch department and agency
20 develop and maintain each agency's respective multi-year
21 information technology strategic and tactical plans and road
22 maps, pursuant to section 27-43(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, and
23 such road maps may inform the development of overall statewide
24 strategic technology plans and strategic data goals and
25 objectives; and
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27 WHEREAS, each department is already required to make
28 appropriate and existing electronic data sets, maintained by the
29 department, electronically available to the public through the
30 State's open data portal at data.hawaii.gov or a successor
31 website designated by the Chief Information Officer, pursuant to
32 section 27-44, Hawaii Revised Statutes; and
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34 WHEREAS, in 2013, the Legislature further recognized the
35 importance of open data by passing legislation to expand
36 government data availability and transparency by adding section
37 27-44.3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, which requires the Chief
38 Information Officer, in consultation with the Office of
39 Information Practices, to develop policies and procedures to
40 implement section 27-44, Hawaii Revised Statutes, including
41 standards to determine which data sets are appropriate for
42 online disclosure, with the goal of making data sets available



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1 to the greatest number of users and for the greatest number of
2 applications to ensure government operations are transparent;
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5 WHEREAS, the Chief Information Officer, in conjunction,
6 with the Information Technology Steering Committee, is
7 statutorily mandated under section 27-43(a), Hawaii Revised
8 Statutes, to develop, implement, and manage the State
9 information technology strategic plans, as well as report
10 annually to the Governor and the Legislature on the status and
11 implementation of the state information technology strategic
12 plan; now, therefore,
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14 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Twenty-ninth
15 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2018, the
16 House of Representatives concurring, that the Chief Information
17 Officer is requested to develop state strategic open data goals
18 and objectives; and
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20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Information Officer
21 is requested to consider model legislation in other states, as
22 well as commonly accepted best practices, and work with all of
23 the Executive branch departments and agencies to develop and
24 adopt open data strategies in each agency's respective multi-
25 year information technology strategic and tactical plans and
26 road maps to establish the state strategic open data goals and
27 objectives; and
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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Information Officer,
30 in conjunction with the Information Technology Steering
31 Committee, is requested to consult with the Office of
32 Information Practices, as well as other departments with
33 relevant data expertise, in the development of the state
34 strategic open data goals and objectives; and
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36 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Information Officer,
37 in conjunction with the Information Technology Steering
38 Committee, is requested to submit the state strategic open data
39 goals and objectives, as well as recommendations, including any
40 proposed legislation, to the Legislature no later than twenty
41 days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 2020; and
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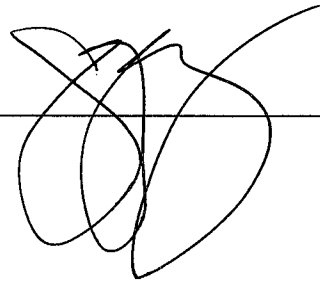


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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governor,
3 Comptroller, Chief Information Officer, and Director of the
4 Office of Information Practices.

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OFFERED BY: _____

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