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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 26-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:  
3           "(a) The department of agriculture shall be headed by an  
4 executive board to be known as the board of agriculture. The  
5 board shall consist of ten members:  
6           (1) One who shall be a resident of the county of Hawaii;  
7           (2) One who shall be a resident of the county of Maui;  
8           (3) One who shall be a resident of the county of Kauai;  
9           (4) Four at large; provided that one of the at large  
10           members shall be the chairperson of the Hawaiian homes  
11           commission; and  
12           (5) The chairperson of the board of land and natural  
13 resources; the director of business, economic  
14 development, and tourism; and the dean of the  
15 University of Hawaii college of tropical agriculture  
16 and human resources, or their designated



1           representatives, who shall serve as ex officio[+],[+]  
2           voting members.

3   The majority of the members of the board shall be from the  
4   agricultural community or the agricultural support sector. The  
5   appointment, tenure, and removal of the members and the filling  
6   of vacancies on the board shall be as provided in section 26-34.  
7   The governor shall appoint a chairperson of the board from the  
8   members."

9           SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
10   and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

11           SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval  
12   and shall be repealed on June 30, 2024; provided that  
13   section 26-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be reenacted in  
14   the form in which it read on the day prior to the effective date  
15   of this Act.



# H.B. NO. 756 H.D. 2

**Report Title:**

Board of Agriculture; Composition; Hawaiian Homes Commission

**Description:**

Designates one of the at-large positions on the board of agriculture as the chairperson of the Hawaiian homes commission. Sunsets on 6/30/2024. (HD2)

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