
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HAWAII UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITE
ADVISORY BOARD.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 201-72.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 repealed.

3 ~~["§201-72.6] Hawaii unmanned aerial systems test site~~
4 ~~advisory board; established.~~ (a) ~~There is established a Hawaii~~
5 ~~unmanned aerial systems test site advisory board, as a~~
6 ~~subcommittee of the Hawaii aerospace advisory committee, to~~
7 ~~oversee the planning and operation of the Hawaii unmanned aerial~~
8 ~~systems test site.~~

9 ~~(b) The board shall be composed of seven members as~~
10 ~~follows:~~

11 ~~(1) The adjutant general, or the adjutant general's~~
12 ~~designee;~~

13 ~~(2) The director of transportation, or the director's~~
14 ~~designee;~~

15 ~~(3) The director of business, economic development, and~~
16 ~~tourism, or the director's designee;~~

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- 1 ~~(4) The president of the University of Hawaii, or the~~
2 ~~president's designee;~~
- 3 ~~(5) One member representing the Hawaii business community,~~
4 ~~to be appointed by the governor pursuant to section~~
5 ~~26-34; and~~
- 6 ~~(6) Two members representing the aerospace or aviation~~
7 ~~industries, to be appointed by the governor pursuant~~
8 ~~to section 26-34.~~

9 ~~Each board member shall serve for a term of four years;~~
10 ~~provided that the initial terms shall be staggered, as~~
11 ~~determined by the governor.~~

12 ~~(c) Members of the board shall not receive compensation~~
13 ~~for their services but shall be reimbursed for necessary~~
14 ~~expenses, including travel expenses, incurred in the performance~~
15 ~~of their duties under this section."]~~

16 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
17 and stricken.

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

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INTRODUCED BY: _____



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Report Title:

Hawaii Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Site Advisory Board

Description:

Repeals the Hawaii Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Site Advisory Board.

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JUSTIFICATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT: Business, Economic Development, and Tourism

TITLE: A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE HAWAII UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS TEST SITE ADVISORY BOARD.

PURPOSE: Repeal the Hawaii Unmanned Aerial Systems Test Site Advisory Board.

MEANS: Repeal section 201-72.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

JUSTIFICATION: The test site advisory board has never convened and the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee, for which it is formed as a sub-committee, does not have the administrative staff to support this function. Further, the board is deemed unnecessary due to the department's intention to continue to hire a contractor to manage the test facility.

Impact on the public: None.

Impact on the department and other agencies: None.

GENERAL FUND: None.

OTHER FUNDS: None.

PPBS PROGRAM DESIGNATION: BED 128.

OTHER AFFECTED AGENCIES: Department of Defense, Department of Transportation, and the University of Hawaii.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon approval.