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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INFORMATION PRACTICES.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 92F-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

3           "(b) Except as provided in section 92F-13, each agency  
4 upon request by any person shall make government records  
5 available for inspection and copying during regular business  
6 hours[-]; provided that an agency shall not be required to make  
7 government records available or respond to a person's subsequent  
8 duplicative request, if:

9           (1) After conducting a good faith review and comparison of  
10           the earlier request and the pending request, the  
11           agency finds that the pending request is duplicative  
12           or substantially similar in nature;

13           (2) The pending request has already been responded to  
14           within the past year; and

15           (3) The agency's response to the pending request would  
16           remain unchanged."

17           SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
18 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



1           SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval  
2 and shall be repealed on July 1, 2014; provided that section  
3 92F-11(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be reenacted in the  
4 form in which it read on the day before the effective date of  
5 this Act.

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**Report Title:**

Information Practices; Vexatious Requests

**Description:**

Exempts disclosure of government records in response to duplicate requests from a single requestor, provided that the agency to which the request was made satisfies specified requirements. Sunset date on July 1, 2014. (CD1)

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