

**SMALL BUSINESS STATEMENT**  
**“AFTER” PUBLIC HEARING TO THE**  
**SMALL BUSINESS REGULATORY REVIEW BOARD**  
(Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), §201M-3)

**Department or Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Administrative Rule Title and Chapter:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Chapter Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Person/Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

A. To assist the SBRRB in complying with the meeting notice requirement in HRS §92-7, please attach a statement of the topic of the proposed rules or a general description of the subjects involved.

B. Are the draft rules available for viewing in person and on the Lieutenant Governor’s Website pursuant to HRS §92-7?

**Yes**       **No**

(If “Yes,” please provide webpage address and when and where rules may be viewed in person. Please keep the proposed rules on this webpage until after the SBRRB meeting.)

**I. Rule Description:**     **New**     **Repeal**     **Amendment**     **Compilation**

**II. Will the proposed rule(s) affect small business?**

**Yes**       **No** (If “No,” no need to submit this form.)

\* “Affect small business” is defined as “any potential or actual requirement imposed upon a small business . . . that will cause a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business, or is directly related to the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business.” HRS §201M-1

\* “Small business” is defined as a “for-profit corporation, limited liability company, partnership, limited partnership, sole proprietorship, or other legal entity that: (1) Is domiciled and authorized to do business in Hawaii; (2) Is independently owned and operated; and (3) Employs fewer than one hundred full-time or part-time employees in Hawaii.” HRS §201M-1

**III. Is the proposed rule being adopted to implement a statute or ordinance that does not require the agency to interpret or describe the requirements of the statute or ordinance?**

**Yes**       **No**

(If “Yes” no need to submit this form. E.g., a federally-mandated regulation that does not afford the agency the discretion to consider less restrictive alternatives. HRS §201M-2(d))

**IV. Is the proposed rule being adopted pursuant to emergency rulemaking? (HRS §201M-2(a))**

**Yes**       **No**

(If “Yes” no need to submit this form.)

**V. Please explain how the agency involved small business in the development of the proposed rules.**

- a. **Were there any recommendations incorporated into the proposed rules? If yes, explain. If not, why not?**

**VI. If the proposed rule(s) affect small business, and are not exempt as noted above, please provide the following information:**

1. A description of how opinions or comments from affected small businesses were solicited.
  
2. A summary of the public's and small businesses' comments.
  
3. A summary of the agency's response to those comments.
  
4. The number of persons who:
  - (i) Attended the public hearing:
  - (ii) Testified at the hearing:
  - (iii) Submitted written comments:
  
5. Was a request made at the hearing to change the proposed rule in a way that affected small business?  
 **Yes**     **No**
  - (i) If "Yes," was the change adopted?     **Yes**     **No**
  - (ii) If No, please explain the reason the change was not adopted and the problems or negative result of the change.

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