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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DUTIES OF THE KAHOLA'OLA ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 6K-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§6K-6 Responsibilities and duties of the commission. The
4 [commission shall:] general administration of the island
5 reserve shall rest with the commission. In carrying out its
6 duties and responsibilities, the commission:

7 (1) [Establish] Shall establish criteria, policies, and
8 controls for permissible uses within the island
9 reserve;

10 (2) [Approve] Shall approve all contracts for services and
11 rules pertaining to the island reserve;

12 (3) [Provide] Shall provide advice to the governor, the
13 department, and other departments and agencies on any
14 matter relating to the island reserve;

15 (4) [Provide] Shall provide advice to the office of
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1 planning and the department of the attorney general on
2 any matter relating to the federal conveyance of
3 Kaho'olawe;

4 (5) [Enter] May enter into curator or stewardship
5 agreements with appropriate Hawaiian cultural and
6 spiritual community organizations for the perpetuation
7 of native Hawaiian cultural, religious, and subsistence
8 customs, beliefs, and practices for the purposes stated
9 in section 6K-3;

10 (6) [Carry] Shall carry out those powers and duties
11 otherwise conferred upon the board of land and natural
12 resources and the land use commission with regard to
13 dispositions and approvals pertaining to the island
14 reserve. All powers and duties of the board of land
15 and natural resources and the land use commission
16 concerning dispositions and approvals pertaining to the
17 island reserve are transferred to the commission;

18 (7) [Carry] Shall carry out those powers and duties
19 concerning the island reserve otherwise conferred upon
20 the county of Maui by chapter 205A. The powers and
21 duties of the county of Maui and its agencies
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concerning coastal zone [disposition] dispositions and
approvals pertaining to the island reserve are
transferred to the commission; [and]

(8) Shall carry out those powers and duties concerning the
island reserve otherwise conferred upon the island
burial councils and the department with regard to
proper treatment of burial sites and human skeletal
remains found in the island reserve;

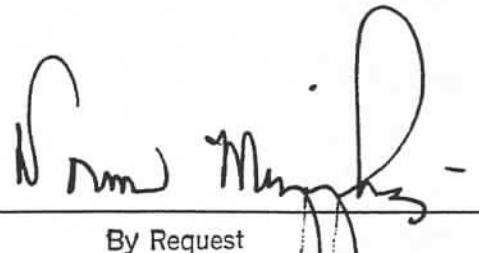
[(8)] (9) [Adopt] Shall adopt rules in accordance with
chapter 91 that are necessary for the purposes of this
chapter and shall maintain a record of its proceedings
and actions[.]; and

(10) May delegate to the executive director or employees of
the commission, by formal commission action, such
power and authority vested in the commission by this
chapter as the commission deems reasonable and proper
for the effective administration of this chapter."

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.
New statutory material is underscored.

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

INTRODUCED BY:


By Request

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