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LINDA LINGLE
GOVERNOR

GOV. MSG. NO. 665

May 25, 2006

The Honorable Robert Bunda, President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 003
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

This is to inform you that on May 25, 2006, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2290 SD2 HD1 CD1 — A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PROTECTION FROM SECURITY BREACHES. **(ACT 135)**

Sincerely,

LINDA LINGLE

Approved by the Governor
on MAY 25 2006

ACT 135

THE SENATE
TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE, 2006
STATE OF HAWAII

S.B. NO. 2290 S.D. 2 H.D. 1 C.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROTECTION FROM SECURITY BREACHES.

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

SECTION 1. The privacy and financial security of individuals is increasingly at risk due to the widespread collection of personal information by the private sector and government agencies. Numerous sources include personal information that forms the source material for identity thieves.

Identity theft is one of the fastest growing crimes committed throughout the United States, including Hawaii. Criminals who steal personal information, such as social security numbers, use the information to open credit card accounts, write bad checks, buy cars, and commit other financial crimes with other people's identities.

The purpose of this Act is to alleviate the growing plague of identity theft by requiring businesses and government agencies that maintain records containing resident individuals' personal information to notify an individual whenever the individual's personal information has been compromised by unauthorized disclosure.

delayed due to law enforcement considerations, and any procedures that have been implemented to prevent the breach from reoccurring. In the event that a law enforcement agency informs the government agency that notification may impede a criminal investigation or jeopardize national security, the report to the legislature may be delayed until twenty days after the law enforcement agency has determined that notice will no longer impede the investigation or jeopardize national security."

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2007.

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Approved this day: MAY 25 2006

S.B. No. 2290, S.D. 2, H.D. 1, C.D. 1

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2006
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Twenty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006.

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2006
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2006.

Speaker, House of Representatives

Clerk, House of Representatives