

# All HI Legislation

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**HI**

**[HB 1170](#)**

Description:

Would criminalize the consumption of or trafficking in dog, cat or equine animal meat for the purpose of human consumption.

Status: Introduced 1/26/2011; Died in Chamber  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[HB 174](#)**

**Genetically Engineered Organisms**

Description:

Would require food produced with genetic engineering to be labeled.

Status: Engrossed 3/5/2013; Died in Chamber  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[HB 505](#)**

Description:

Would establish an Agricultural Development and Food Security Program. Establishes state planning objectives to increase demand and access to locally grown foods.

Status: Introduced 1/26/2015; Died in Chamber  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[HB 686](#)**

**Genetically Engineered Fish**

Description:

Would prohibit propagating, cultivating, or farming genetically engineered fish in state marine waters.

Status: Introduced 1/26/2015; Died in Committee  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[HB 687](#)**

Description:

Would authorize counties to regulate genetically engineered organisms and pesticide use to the extent that the regulations are more stringent than state or federal laws.

Status: Introduced 1/26/2015; Died in Committee  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[HB 77](#)**

**Foie Gras; Prohibition**

Description:

Would make it unlawful for any person to possess, sell, offer for sale, trade, or distribute foie gras.

Status: Introduced 1/20/2011; Died in Chamber  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[HB 823](#)**

**Agricultural Theft Pilot Project**

Description:

Would establish a two-year Agricultural Theft Pilot Project in the Department of Agriculture to focus on investigating and prosecuting agricultural theft or agricultural vandalism in the County of Hawaii.

Status: Enrolled 4/14/2015; Died in Chamber  
*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 1199](#)**

**Agricultural Theft Pilot Project**

Description:

Would establish a two-year agricultural theft pilot project to investigate the effectiveness of a dedicated enforcement officer focused specifically on prosecuting agricultural theft and agricultural vandalism in the county of Hawaii.

Status: Introduced 1/28/2015; Died in Committee

*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 131](#)**

**Genetically Engineered Material**

Description:

Would require food produced with genetic engineering to be labeled by January 1, 2016.

Status: Introduced 1/22/2015; Died in Chamber

*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 1321](#)**

**Genetically Engineered Food; Labeling**

Description:

Would require all genetically engineered food to be labeled with a disclosure stating that it is "Produced with Genetic Engineering."

Status: Introduced 1/29/2015; Died in Committee

*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 2137](#)**

**On-farm Mentoring**

Description:

Would establish an on-farm mentoring program to teach and train farmers to utilize a whole farm system approach to agriculture. Makes an appropriation to the department of agriculture to support existing on-farm mentoring programs and for a pilot on-farm mentoring program in Maui.

Status: Engrossed 3/8/2016; Died in Committee

*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 593](#)**

Description:

Would expand livestock feed subsidies to include milking goats, goats raised for meat, sheep, lambs, fish, and crustaceans.

*Passed*

Pass Date: 7/2/2013

**HI**

**[SB 699](#)**

**Aircraft; Transfer of Animals**

Description:

Would establish food, water, cargo hold temperature, cargo transfer, and certification requirements for air transport of live animals.

Status: Introduced 1/18/2013; Died in Committee

*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 757](#)**

**Future Farmers of America Program**

Description:

Would appropriate funds to the Department of Education to operate and implement the Future Farmers of America program.

*Passed*

Pass Date: 7/2/2013

**HI**

**[SB 874](#)**

**Genetically Engineered Seeds and Plant Parts**

Description:

Would prohibit the planting of a genetically engineered seed or plant part in an open field. Allows the chairperson of the board of agriculture to grant an exception where such planting is done in a controlled environment.

Status: Introduced 1/23/2015; Died in Committee

*Failed*

**HI**

**[SB 985](#)**

## **Right to Farm**

### Description:

Guarantees the rights of farmers and ranchers to engage in farming and ranching practices.

Status: Introduced 1/28/2015; Died in Committee

*Failed*

### **For More Information:**

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