

CHAPTER 343, HRS, COMPLIANCE CHECKLIST

Complete the following worksheet to determine whether the proposed action triggers Chapter 343, HRS, relating to Environmental Impact Statements.

A ☐ YES ☐ NO Do any of the proposed actions listed below apply to your project? The proposed actions listed below trigger Chapter 343, HRS.

If YES, check any that apply and continue with question B below.

If NO, stop here, an *Environmental Impact Statement* may not be required.

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| 1 ☐ Use of state or county lands or funds | 6 ☐ Reclassification of conservation lands |
| 2 ☐ Use of conservation district lands | 7 ☐ Construction/modification of helicopter facilities |
| 3 ☐ Use of shoreline area | 8 ☐ Propose any: (a) wastewater facility, except an individual wastewater system or a wastewater facility serving fewer than fifty (50) single-family dwellings or the equivalent; (b) Waste-to-energy facility; (c) Landfill; (d) Oil refinery; or (e) Power-generating facilities |
| 4 ☐ Use of historic site or district | |
| 5 ☐ Amendment to county general plan | |

B Does the proposed action qualify for one or more of the following exemption classes?

- 1 ☐ Operations, repairs, or maintenance of existing structures, facilities, equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion or change of use beyond that previously existing;
- 2 ☐ Replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located generally on the same site and will have substantially the same purpose, capacity, density, height, and dimensions as the structure replaced;
- 3 ☐ Construction and location of single, new, small facilities or structures and the alteration and modification of the same and installation of new, small, equipment and facilities and the alteration and modification of same, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Single-family residences less than three thousand five hundred (3,500) square feet not in conjunction with the building of two or more such units;
 - b. Multi-unit structures designed for not more than four dwelling units if not in conjunction with the building of two or more such structures;
 - c. Stores, offices, and restaurants designed for total occupant load of twenty persons or less per structure, if not in conjunction with the building of two or more such structures; and
 - d. Water, sewage, electrical, gas, telephone, and other essential public utility services extensions to serve such structures or facilities; accessory or appurtenant structures including garages, carports, patios, swimming pools, and fences; and, acquisition of utility easements.
- 4 ☐ Minor alterations in the conditions of land, water, or vegetation;
- 5 ☐ Basic data collection, research, experimental management, and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource;
- 6 ☐ Construction or placement of minor structures accessory to existing facilities;
- 7 ☐ Interior alterations involving things such as partitions, plumbing, and electrical conveyances;
- 8 ☐ Demolition of structures, except those structures located on any historic site as designated in the national register or Hawaii register as provided for in the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, Public Law 89-665, 16 U.S.C. §§470, as amended, or chapter 6E, HRS;
- 9 ☐ Zoning variances except shoreline set-back variances; and
- 10 ☐ Continuing administrative activities including, but not limited to purchase of supplies and personnel-related actions.

If any boxes are checked, submit any letter of exemption you may have received from the proper authority.

If no boxes are checked, then an Environmental Assessment (EA) or Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is required. Submit the completed EA or EIS document with the application.