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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Question for OEQC or Environmental Council

Questions to OEQC or the Environmental Council:

Does HRS 41-15 trump Chapter 343 and HAR 11-200.1?

(1) Is a property tax exemption a form of funding assistance flowing from the County?

(2) If a public charity/non profit corporation receives, or will apply to receive a property tax exemption, does that qualify as “propose use of County funds” for their proposed program or project on that land, that will require one or more discretionary agency approvals, under the new rules?

HAR §11-200.1-8 Applicability of chapter 343, HRS, to agency actions. (a) Chapter 343, HRS, environmental review shall be required for any agency action that includes one or more triggers as identified in section 343- 5 (a), HRS.

(1) Under section 343-5(a), HRS, use of state or county funds shall include any form of funding assistance flowing from the State or a county...

Thank you for your time,

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