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The Hawai'i Revised Statutes (**HRS**) § 831-3.2 (https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/hrscurrent/Vol14_Ch0701-0853/HRS0831/HRS_0831-0003_0002.htm) authorizes the Attorney General of the State of Hawai'i to expunge non-conviction arrest records upon written request to the Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center.

As of July 1, 2025

As of July 1, 2025, requests to expunge non-conviction arrest records and remove related court records are handled through a streamlined, one step process by the Department of the Attorney General via the **Hawai'i Criminal Justice Data Center** (<https://ag.hawaii.gov/hcjdc/>). Individuals interested in applying for an expungement certificate may either click on **this link** (<https://ag.hawaii.gov/hcjdc/expungements/>) or call the Department of the Attorney General at (808) 587-3348.

Prior to July 1, 2025

Individuals who received or applied for expungement certificates before July 1, 2025, must complete a second step. After receiving their certificate from the Hawai'i Criminal Justice Data Center, they need to submit a written request to the court for their record to be sealed or removed.