
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 103D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§103D- International trade agreement; state consent.

5 (a) The consent of the State to an international trade
6 agreement or to any of its provisions, annexes, or side letters
7 in part, or to any attached or subsequently attached side letter
8 or addenda, shall be given only by the enactment of a law.

9 (b) For the purpose of this section:

10 "International trade agreement" means a trade agreement
11 between the federal government and a foreign country or
12 countries, either in a bilateral, multilateral, regional, or
13 global forum, including agreements under the Agreement on
14 Government Procurement and General Agreement on Trade in
15 Services under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade of the
16 World Trade Organization; provided that "international trade
17 agreement" does not include memoranda of agreement between the



1 State and a foreign country or its sub-national entities to
2 which the United States is not a party."

3 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

4 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



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Report Title:

International Trade Agreement

Description:

Provides state protocol for international trade agreements
(HB2199 HD1).

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