
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MARINE INVERTEBRATES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 188, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§188- Female ula (spiny lobsters), Kona crabs, and
5 Samoan crabs; taking or killing prohibited. (a) Unless
6 otherwise exempted by law, it shall be unlawful for any person
7 to take or kill any female ula (spiny lobster or Panulirus),
8 Kona crab (Ranina ranina), or Samoan crab (Scylla serrata).

9 (b) This section shall not prohibit the taking or killing
10 of female marine invertebrates identified in subsection (a) if
11 they are the product of commercial aquaculture and not removed
12 from their natural environment."

13 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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



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REPORT Title:

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Description:

Prohibits the taking or killing of female ula (spiny lobster), Kona crabs, and Samoan crabs, subject to some exceptions.
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