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S.B. NO. 2100

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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 286-85, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3           "**§286-85 Reconstructed vehicles, approval required.** (a)

4 No person shall operate a reconstructed vehicle upon a public  
5 highway unless it has been inspected and certified by the  
6 designated county agency as meeting the specifications and  
7 requirements established in rules [~~and regulations~~] adopted by  
8 the [~~state~~] director [~~of transportation~~].

9           (b) This section shall not apply to any vehicle which is  
10 [~~subject~~]:

11           (1) Subject to the rules and regulations of the public  
12 utilities commission governing safety of operation and  
13 equipment[~~-~~]; or

14           (2) In good working order prior to being upgraded with  
15 aftermarket parts not produced by or for the original  
16 manufacturer of the vehicle.

17           (c) Each county through its chief executive officer, shall  
18 designate a county department, whose responsibilities shall



1 include the inspection of reconstructed vehicles and the  
2 issuance of permits to operate reconstructed vehicles pursuant  
3 to standards established by the state director of  
4 transportation.

5 (d) The state director of transportation shall adopt rules  
6 pursuant to chapter 91, establishing the fees an inspector may  
7 charge for the inspection of a reconstructed vehicle.

8 (e) The department designated pursuant to subsection (c)  
9 shall identify to the county director of finance every vehicle  
10 that has been inspected and approved as a reconstructed vehicle.

11 (f) This section shall not apply to any privately owned  
12 reconstructed vehicle in a county with a population of less than  
13 500,000."

14 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
15 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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INTRODUCED BY:



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**By Request**



SB2108

**Report Title:**

Reconstructed Vehicles

**Description:**

Exempts use of aftermarket parts from reconstructed vehicle permit requirement.

