
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SMOKING.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 328J, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding two new sections to be appropriately
3 designated and to read as follows:

4 "§328J-A Disposal of smoking waste. (a) No person shall
5 dispose of any cigarette, cigar, or tobacco product, or any part
6 thereof, in any place where smoking is prohibited under this
7 chapter, except in a designated waste disposal container.

8 (b) Any person who violates this section shall be fined
9 not more than \$250.

10 §328J-B Prohibition in certain places open to the public.

11 Smoking shall be prohibited in the following areas open to the
12 public:

13 (1) Public beaches and public parks; and

14 (2) In any area where smoking is otherwise not prohibited,
15 any place within twenty-five feet of playground
16 equipment installed for public use by children, play
17 pits, play structures, bleachers, backstops, sports
18 fields, ball diamonds, basketball, handball, tennis,



1 and paddle tennis courts, and areas in which notice is
 2 posted that permits are required to reserve the area
 3 for picnics."

4 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
 5 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
 6 begun, before its effective date.

7 SECTION 3. In codifying the new sections added by section
 8 1 of this Act, the revisor of statutes shall substitute
 9 appropriate section numbers for the letters used in designating
 10 the new sections in this Act.

11 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

12 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Smoking; Public Beaches, Parks, Recreational Areas; Disposal

Description:

Prohibits smoking on public beaches and parks and certain recreational areas. Prohibits disposal of smoking waste in any place where smoking is prohibited, except in designated waste disposal container. Subjects violators to \$250 fine.

