
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ANIMAL CRUELTY.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 711, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§711-A Cruelty to animals; fighting; spectators;
5 violation. (1) A person commits the offense of cruelty to
6 animals in the third degree if that person is a spectator at an
7 event where an animal is caused to fight with another animal.

8 (2) For purposes of this section, "spectator" means a
9 person who looks on or watches.

10 (3) Violation of this section shall be a violation
11 punishable by a fine of \$25."

12 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:
Animal cruelty

Description:
Imposes fines for spectators at events where animals are caused to fight with each other.

