
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREWORKS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to authorize the
2 respective county councils to enact more stringent fireworks
3 laws than those imposed by chapter 132D, Hawaii Revised
4 Statutes.

5 SECTION 2. Section 132D-17, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
6 amended to read as follows:

7 "**§132D-17 Inconsistent county ordinances, rules.**

8 Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, no county shall
9 enact ordinances or adopt any rules regulating fireworks or
10 articles pyrotechnic, except as required in this chapter, that
11 is inconsistent with or [~~more~~] less restrictive than, the
12 provisions of this chapter. Any ordinances and rules regulating
13 fireworks or articles pyrotechnic that were enacted or adopted
14 by a county before March 31, 1995, except those provisions
15 [~~which~~] that are not inconsistent with, or [~~more~~] less
16 restrictive than those of this chapter, are declared void."

17 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
18 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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Report Title:

Fireworks; Counties

Description:

Authorizes the respective county councils to enact more stringent fireworks laws than those imposed by state fireworks law, chapter 132D, Hawaii Revised Statutes.

