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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO COUNTY REGULATION OF COMMERCIAL BICYCLE TOURS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 46, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended  
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to  
3 read as follows:

4 "§46- Regulation of commercial bicycle tours. Any law  
5 to the contrary notwithstanding, the council of any county may  
6 adopt and provide for the enforcement of ordinances regulating  
7 commercial bicycle tours on state and county highways, including  
8 but not limited to ordinances relating to the number of tours,  
9 the number of bicycles within a tour, scheduling of tours,  
10 physical spacing of tours, rules of the road, health and safety  
11 requirements, equipment maintenance, driver and guide  
12 qualifications, driver and guide drug testing, accident  
13 procedures and reporting, and financial responsibility  
14 requirements. Counties shall follow federal guidelines for  
15 commercial bicycle tours beginning from federal or state parks  
16 and into state highways.

17 For the purposes of this section:



1        "Bicycle tour" includes both guided bicycle tours and  
2 unguided bicycle rental operations.

3        "County highway" has the same meaning as defined in section  
4 264-1.

5        "State highway" has the same meaning as defined in section  
6 264-1."

7        SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

8        SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



**Report Title:**

County Regulation of Commercial Bicycle Tours

**Description:**

Authorizes the counties to regulate both guided and unguided bicycle tour businesses on state and county highways and counties shall follow federal guidelines for bicycle tours beginning from federal or state parks into state highways.

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