
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 150A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding two new sections to be appropriately
3 designated and to read as follows:

4 "§150A-A Inspection, quarantine, and eradication service

5 charge. (a) The department shall prescribe a schedule of
6 service fees and charges and collect appropriate service fees or
7 charges for pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication
8 services from any person who imports any article, container, or
9 packing material as described in section 150A-5, or means of
10 conveyance. The department shall establish a schedule of
11 service fees and charges to ensure that the service is
12 commensurate with the costs of inspection, quarantine, and
13 eradication services.

14 (b) If a person subject to the service fees or charges
15 under this section fails to pay the service fee or charge when
16 due, the department shall assess a late payment penalty.



1 (c) The service fees, charges, and penalties collected by
2 the department under this section shall be deposited into the
3 pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund.

4 **§150A-B Pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund.**

5 (a) There is established in the state treasury the pest
6 inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund, into which shall
7 be deposited:

8 (1) Legislative appropriations for inspection and
9 quarantine services;

10 (2) Service fees, charges, and penalties collected under
11 section 150A-A; and

12 (3) Federal funds received for pest inspection,
13 quarantine, and eradication programs.

14 (b) The moneys in the pest inspection, quarantine, and
15 eradication fund shall be used by the department for the
16 operation of inspection and monitoring programs, related
17 facilities, and the execution of emergency remedial measures
18 when pests are detected in the course of inspection and
19 quarantine activities by the department."

20 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the pest
21 inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund the sum of \$ or
22 so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2007-2008



1 for the operation or inspection and monitoring programs, related
2 facilities, and the execution of emergency remedial measures
3 when pests are detected in the course of inspection and
4 quarantine activities.

5 The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of
6 agriculture for the purposes of section 150A-B, Hawaii Revised
7 Statute

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

12 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

13 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2020.



Report Title:

Invasive Species; Inspection; Quarantine; Eradication

Description:

Establishes a service fee for the inspection of pests in imports to the State. Establishes the pest inspection, quarantine, and eradication fund. Appropriates unspecified amount out of the fund. (HB772 HD2)

