
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SUN SCREENING DEVICES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 291-21.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows:

3 "(d) This section shall not apply to:

4 (1) Rearview mirrors;

5 (2) Adjustable nontransparent sun visors which are mounted
6 forward of the side windows and are not attached to
7 the glazing material;

8 (3) Signs, stickers, or other materials which are
9 displayed in a seven-inch square in the lower corner
10 of the windshield farthest removed from the driver or
11 signs, stickers, or other materials which are
12 displayed in a five-inch square in the lower corner of
13 the windshield nearest the driver;

14 (4) Rear trunk lid handle or hinges;

15 (5) Window wipers and window wiper motors;

16 (6) Transparent sun screening film materials which are
17 installed, affixed, or applied along the top edge of
18 the windshield so long as such materials do not



1 encroach upon the AS-1 portion of the windshield as
2 provided by the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards
3 205 or no lower than four inches below the top of the
4 windshield, when measured from the middle point of the
5 bottom edge of the top windshield moulding if no AS-1
6 markings can be found in the left or right upper
7 margin of the windshield;

8 (7) Transparent sun screening materials, when applied to
9 the AS-1 portion of the windshield, that meet the
10 requirements of the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety
11 Standards 205;

12 [~~(7)~~] (8) Sun screening devices for front side wing vents
13 and windows which, when used in conjunction with the
14 glazing material have a light transmittance of no less
15 than thirty-five per cent plus or minus six per cent;

16 [~~(8)~~] (9) Sun screening devices for side windows necessary
17 for driving visibility which are to the rear of the
18 driver and for rear windows necessary for driving
19 visibility which, when used in conjunction with the
20 glazing material, have a light transmittance of no
21 less than thirty-five per cent plus or minus six per
22 cent;



1 [~~(9)~~] (10) Side windows which are to the rear of the driver
2 and rear windows on vans, minivans, trucks, or buses;
3 provided that the vehicles are equipped with rearview
4 mirrors on both sides; or

5 [~~(10)~~] (11) Privacy drapes, curtains, or blinds, or any
6 combination, installed on the interior of motor
7 homes."

8 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
9 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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



Report Title:

Motor Vehicle Windshield Tinting

Description:

Allows the use of sun screening materials that meet the requirements of the Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 205 when applied to a certain portion of motor vehicle windshields.
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