
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE PROHIBITION OF MINORS FROM THE USE OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 286, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new part to be appropriately designated and
3 to read as follows:

4 **"PART . ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES**

5 §286-A Definitions. As used in this part, unless the
6 context otherwise requires:

7 "All-terrain vehicle" means a motor vehicle which is all of
8 the following:

- 9 (1) Designed for operation off of the highway by an
10 operator with no more than one passenger;
11 (2) Fifty inches or less in width;
12 (3) Nine hundred pounds or less unladen weight;
13 (4) Suspended on three or more tires;
14 (5) Has a single seat designed to be straddled by the
15 operator, or a single seat designed to be straddled by
16 the operator and a seat for not more than one
17 passenger; and



1 (6) Has handlebars for steering control.

2 "Minor" means a person under the age of eighteen.

3 **§286-B** **Prohibition; minors; operation.** (a) No minor
4 shall operate, ride, or be otherwise propelled on an all-terrain
5 vehicle.

6 **§286-C** **Penalty.** A violation of this section is
7 punishable by a fine of not more than \$50. The parent or legal
8 guardian having control or custody of an unemancipated minor
9 whose conduct violates this section shall be liable for the
10 amount of the fine imposed pursuant to this section.
11 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the fines collected for
12 a violation of this section shall be paid into the state
13 treasury to the credit of the state general fund."

14 SECTION 2. In codifying the new sections added by section
15 1 of this Act, the revisor of statutes shall substitute
16 appropriate section numbers for the letters used in designating
17 the new sections in this Act.

18 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Safety; All-terrain vehicles; minors; prohibited

Description:

Prohibits minors from operating or riding on an all-terrain vehicle.

