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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DAMAGE TO A PLACE OF BURIAL.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 711, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:

4           "§711-     Damage to a place of burial.   (1) A person  
5 commits the offense of damage to a place of burial if the person  
6 negligently or intentionally damages a place of burial.

7           (2) Any person convicted of committing the offense of  
8 damage to a place of burial shall be sentenced to a term of  
9 imprisonment of not more than one year, a fine of not more than  
10 \$10,000, or both.

11           (3) As used in this section, "place of burial" means a  
12 place dedicated to and used for the permanent interment of human  
13 remains."

14           SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
15 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
16 begun before its effective date.



1 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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**Report Title:**

Damage to a place of burial

**Description:**

Makes it unlawful to negligently or intentionally cause damage to a place of burial.

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