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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO BICYCLES AND MOPED FEES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 249-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§249-14 Bicycle and moped fee. (a) Bicycles having two
4 tandem wheels that are twenty inches or more in diameter and all
5 mopeds are required to be registered and shall be subject to a
6 permanent registration fee of \$15, to be paid by the owners
7 thereof to the director of finance.

8 (b) An owner of a bicycle having two tandem wheels that
9 are less than twenty inches in diameter is not required to
10 register such bicycle, but may do so to facilitate the return of
11 recovered stolen bicycles by payment of the registration fee.
12 The fee collected shall not be refunded or prorated. Upon
13 receipt of the fee, the director of finance shall number and
14 register each bicycle and moped for which the fee is paid, in
15 the owner's name and furnish the owner with a metallic tag or
16 decal for each bicycle or moped which shall be attached to the
17 bicycle or moped. On bicycles the decal shall be affixed to the
18 upright post attached to the sprocket facing in the forward

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1 direction. On mopeds the decal shall be affixed to the lower
 2 portion of the rear fender facing rearward. Upon initial
 3 registration by an owner or transferee, the director of finance
 4 shall require proof of ownership and require the owner to
 5 furnish verification of the serial number and description
 6 contained in the proof of ownership and application for
 7 registration. The metallic tags or decals shall be in a form as
 8 the director of finance shall from time to time prescribe. It
 9 shall be the duty of the director of finance of each county to
 10 purchase a sufficient number of these tags or decals.

11 (c) All fees collected under this section shall be
 12 deposited into the bikeway fund and shall be expended in the
 13 county in which the fees are collected as provided in section
 14 249-17.5.

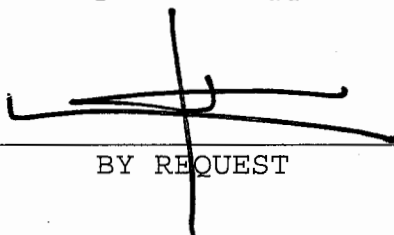
15 (d) Any person who violates subsection (a) shall be fined
 16 not more than \$500."

17 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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INTRODUCED BY:


 BY REQUEST



Report Title:

Bicycles and Moped Fees; Fines

Description:

Adds a fine as a penalty for having an unregistered bicycle or moped.

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