
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SMALL BOAT HARBORS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 200, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§200- Commercial excursions; permit conditions. As a
5 condition of any permit issued pursuant to this chapter, any
6 permittee who, in the course of providing an excursion using
7 boating facilities within the State of Hawaii, disembarks fare-
8 paying passengers in a county with a population of one hundred
9 fifty thousand or less with the expectation that the passengers
10 will visit and participate in recreational activity on state
11 property adjacent to quasi-public property before the conclusion
12 of the excursion, shall ensure that all passengers while ashore
13 are accompanied by and remain at all times during the excursion
14 under the active supervision and direction of a member of the
15 crew qualified to render aid in an emergency.

16 As used in this section, "quasi-public property" means a
17 beach park dedicated from a private entity to a county in
18 perpetuity for park and recreational purposes, which may be



1 adjacent to state property designated as a marine life
2 conservation district."

3 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Small Boat Harbors; Permits

Description:

Requires small boat harbor vessel permittees who, in the course of providing an excursion using state boating facilities, disembark fare-paying passengers in certain counties with the expectation that they will visit state property adjacent to quasi-public property during the excursion, to accompany passengers at all times while ashore.

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