
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO VEHICLES.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 707-700, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted
3 and to read as follows:

4 "Vehicle" shall have the same meaning as defined in
5 section 291E-1."

6 SECTION 2. Section 707-705, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7 amended by amending subsection (1) to read as follows:

8 "(1) A person is guilty of the offense of negligent injury
9 in the first degree if that person causes serious bodily injury
10 to another person by the operation of a [~~motor~~] vehicle in a
11 negligent manner."

12 SECTION 3. Section 707-706, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
13 amended by amending subsection (1) to read as follows:

14 "(1) A person is guilty of the offense of negligent injury
15 in the second degree if that person causes substantial bodily
16 injury to another person by the operation of a [~~motor~~] vehicle
17 in a negligent manner."



1 SECTION 4. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
2 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
3 begun before its effective date.

4 SECTION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
5 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

6 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



Report Title:

Vehicles; Hawaii Penal Code; Negligent Injuries; Mopeds; Vessels

Description:

Amends the scope of offenses relating to negligent injury by broadening the offenses' application to include negligent injuries caused by mopeds and vessels. (HB2688 HD1)

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