

JAN 24 2013

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIBER OPTICS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 440J, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending the title to read as follows:

3 " ~~[+]CHAPTER 440J[+]~~
4 ~~TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE INDUSTRY [INFORMATION REPORTING]~~ "

5 SECTION 2. Chapter 440J, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
6 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
7 and to read as follows:

8 "§440J- Fiber optic cable system required for new
9 single-family and duplex residential construction. (a) On or
10 after January 1, 2014, no building permit shall be issued for a
11 new single-family, duplex, condominium, or apartment dwelling
12 that does not include a fiber optic cable system that meets the
13 standards established pursuant to subsection (c).

14 (b) Nothing in this section shall preclude any county from
15 establishing procedures and standards required to implement this
16 section.

17 (c) Not later than December 31, 2013, the director shall
18 adopt, by rule, standards for fiber optic cable systems,



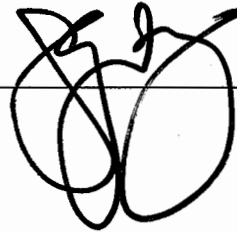
1 including specifications for performance, materials, components,
2 quality, and installation."

3 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
4 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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INTRODUCED BY: _____

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S.B. NO. 1236

Report Title:

Fiber Optic Cable Systems; Installation; Mandatory

Description:

Requires installation of fiber optic cable systems in new single-family, duplex, condominium, and apartment dwellings.

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