
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MARIJUANA.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 329, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§329- Possession of marijuana. (a) Intentional or
5 knowing possession of one ounce or less of marijuana shall
6 constitute a civil violation subject to a fine of \$100.

7 (b) Civil fines and penalties for violations under this
8 section shall be deposited by the director of finance to the
9 credit of the state general fund."

10 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
11 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
12 begun, before its effective date.

13 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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Report Title:

Marijuana; Civil Penalties for Possession of One Ounce or Less

Description:

Establishes a civil violation for possession of one ounce or less of marijuana that is subject to a fine of \$100.

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