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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS.

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

1           SECTION 1. The legislature finds that there is a need to  
2 upgrade the methods and procedures for state certificates of  
3 inspection for motor vehicles. This Act reduces the amount of  
4 insurance information required on an inspection certificate.  
5 This will reduce data entry requirements for inspectors without  
6 degrading the function of checking insurance cards. Digital  
7 images of the cards will be stored for easy retrieval should a  
8 need for additional information arise. In addition, this Act  
9 withdraws the opportunity to replace lost, stolen, or destroyed  
10 inspection stickers without reinspection.

11           SECTION 2. Section 286-26, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
12 amended by amending subsection (e) to read as follows:

13           "(e) Upon application for a certificate of inspection to  
14 be issued for a vehicle, an inspection as prescribed by the  
15 director under subsection (g) shall be conducted on the vehicle,  
16 and if the vehicle is found to be in [~~a safe operating~~  
17 ~~condition,~~] compliance with the inspection requirements, a  
18 certificate of inspection shall be issued upon payment of a fee



1 to be determined by the director. The certificate shall state  
2 the ~~[effective date, the termination date, the name of the~~  
3 ~~issuing insurance carrier, and the policy number of]~~ insurance  
4 expiration date shown on the motor vehicle insurance  
5 identification card for the inspected motor vehicle as specified  
6 by section 431:10C-107, a certificate of self-insurance issued  
7 by the state insurance commissioner, or state the information  
8 contained in the proof of insurance card as specified by section  
9 431:10G-106. A validation sticker, authorized by the director,  
10 shall be affixed to the vehicle at the time a certificate of  
11 inspection is issued. ~~[An inspection sticker which has been~~  
12 ~~lost, stolen, or destroyed shall be replaced without~~  
13 ~~reinspection by the inspection station that issued the original~~  
14 ~~inspection sticker upon presentation of the vehicle's current~~  
15 ~~certificate of inspection; provided that the current certificate~~  
16 ~~of inspection and inspection sticker shall not have expired at~~  
17 ~~the time the replacement is requested. The director shall adopt~~  
18 ~~rules to determine the fee for replacement of lost, stolen, or~~  
19 ~~destroyed inspection stickers.] "~~

20 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
21 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
22 begun, before its effective date.



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

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



**Report Title:**

Motor Vehicle Inspections; Motor Carrier Vehicle Inspections

**Description:**

Upgrades methods and procedures for certificates of inspection for motor vehicles. (HB2352 HD1)

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