
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREWORKS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that the display permit
2 fee, which authorizes licensed pyrotechnicians to conduct
3 outdoor and close proximity fireworks for theatrical purposes,
4 has remained the same for thirteen years. However, the cost to
5 process, review, and approve display permits has increased. The
6 legislature also finds that display permit fees need to increase
7 in order to balance governmental administrative expenses.

8 The purpose of this Act is to increase the fireworks
9 display permit fee for aerial devices, display fireworks, or
10 articles pyrotechnic from \$110 to \$300.

11 SECTION 2. Section 132D-10, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
12 amended to read as follows:

13 "§132D-10 Permits. A permit shall be required for the
14 purchase and use of:

15 (1) Any consumer fireworks commonly known as firecrackers
16 upon payment of a fee of \$25;



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1 (2) Any aerial devices, display fireworks, or articles
 2 pyrotechnic for the purposes of section 132D-16 upon
 3 payment of a fee of [~~\$110,~~] \$300; and

4 (3) Any consumer fireworks for the purposes of section
 5 132D-5 or for cultural uses that occur at any time
 6 other than during the periods prescribed in section
 7 132D-3(1) upon a payment of a fee of \$25."

8 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
 9 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
 10 began before its effective date.

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed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

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

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Report Title:

State Fire Council Package; Fireworks; Display Permit Fee

Description:

Increases the fireworks display permit fee from \$110 to \$300.

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