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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.

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

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 286, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:

4           "§286- Autocycles. (a) Every autocycle operated in  
5 this State, shall first be registered as a motor vehicle as  
6 provided in section 286-41.

7           (b) No person shall operate an autocycle on a public  
8 street, road, or highway in this State unless the person  
9 possesses a valid driver's license and the autocycle has been  
10 duly registered."

11          SECTION 2. Section 286-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
12 amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted  
13 and to read as follows:

14          "Autocycle" means a three-wheeled motor vehicle powered by  
15 a gasoline engine on which the driver and all passengers ride in  
16 a completely enclosed, tandem seating area, that is equipped  
17 with a roll cage, safety belts for all occupants, airbag



1 protection, and anti-lock brakes and that is designed to be  
2 controlled with a steering wheel and pedals."

3 SECTION 3. Section 286-102, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
4 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

5 "(b) A person operating the following category or  
6 combination of categories of motor vehicles shall be examined as  
7 provided in section 286-108 and duly licensed by the examiner of  
8 drivers:

9 (1) Mopeds;

10 (2) Motorcycles and motor scooters;

11 (3) [~~Passenger~~] Autocycles, passenger cars of any gross  
12 vehicle weight rating, buses designed to transport  
13 fifteen or fewer occupants, and trucks and vans having  
14 a gross vehicle weight rating of eighteen thousand  
15 pounds or less; and

16 (4) All of the motor vehicles in category (3) and any  
17 vehicle that is not a commercial motor vehicle.

18 A school bus or van operator shall be properly licensed to  
19 operate the category of vehicles that the operator operates as a  
20 school bus or van and shall comply with the standards of the



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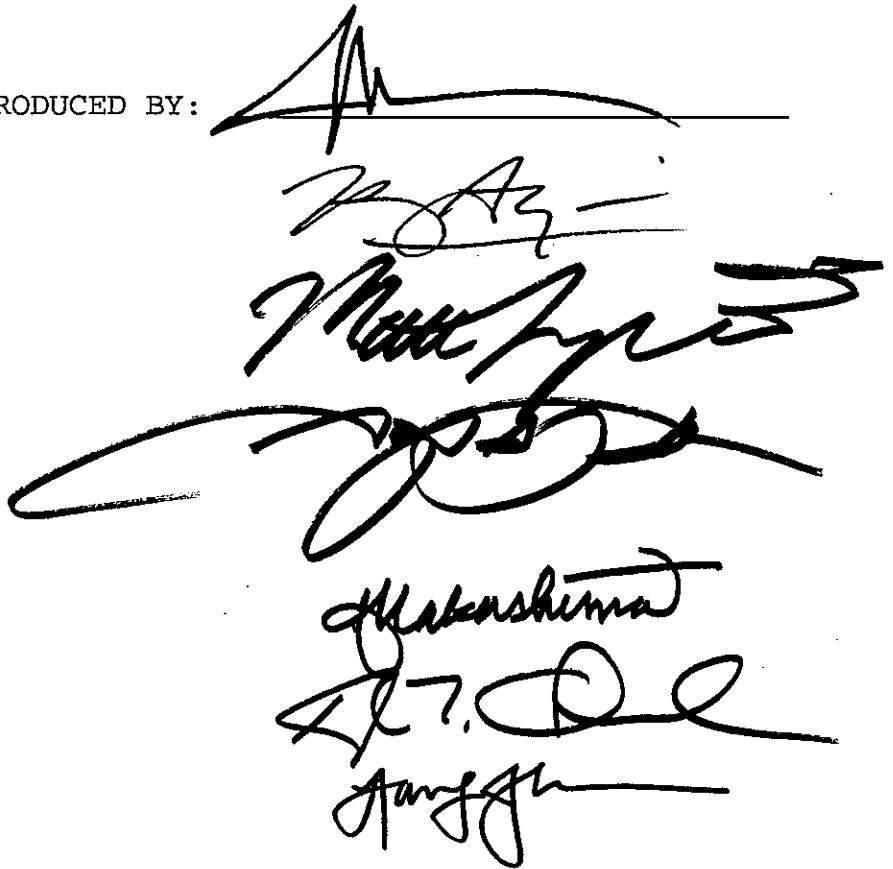
1 department of transportation as provided by rules adopted  
2 pursuant to section 286-181."

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

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

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INTRODUCED BY:



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**Report Title:**

Motor Vehicle Registration; Autocycle

**Description:**

Allows for the registration of autocycles as motor vehicles.  
Allows autocycles to be operated on public roads, streets, or  
highways. Defines autocycle.

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