
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 purpose of this Act is to provide the
2 director of transportation greater authority over the motor
3 carrier inspection program so that the cost to a vehicle owner
4 for an inspection, the fees collected from inspection stations,
5 and the administration of the program can be changed by amending
6 administrative rules pursuant to chapter 91, Hawaii Revised
7 Statutes. There is a need to upgrade the methods and procedures
8 of state motor vehicle inspections because the current system is
9 inefficient in that legislation needs to be passed every time an
10 inspection fee is amended.

11 SECTION 2. Section 286-209, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
12 amended by amending subsections (b), (c), and (d) to read as
13 follows:

14 "(b) The director shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91
15 for the administration and enforcement of motor carrier vehicle
16 safety inspections, including the maximum inspection fee to
17 vehicle owners, fees collected from the stations, the issuance



1 of certificates of safety inspection, the affixing of motor
2 carrier vehicle safety inspection [~~decals,~~] stickers, and the
3 acceptance of certificates of safety inspection issued in other
4 jurisdictions.

5 (c) The director shall initially collect a fee of \$1.50
6 for each motor carrier vehicle safety inspection [~~decals~~] sticker
7 issued by motor carrier vehicle inspection stations[-], then
8 collect the maximum inspection fee when the fee is established
9 by administrative rules pursuant to subsection (b). All moneys
10 [~~collected~~] received by the department of transportation
11 pursuant to this section shall be [~~paid~~] deposited into the
12 state highway fund.

13 (d) A fee of no more than \$12 shall initially be charged
14 by a motor carrier inspection station for each safety inspection
15 performed[-], then no more than the maximum inspection fee shall
16 be charged when the fee is established by administrative rules
17 pursuant to subsection (b)."

18 SECTION 3. Section 286-210, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
19 amended to read as follows:

20 "§286-210 Operation of a motor carrier vehicle without a
21 safety inspection [~~decals,~~] sticker. Whoever operates, permits



1 the operation of, causes to be operated, or parks any motor
2 carrier vehicle on a public highway without a current motor
3 carrier vehicle safety inspection [~~deal,~~] sticker, issued under
4 section 286-209, shall be fined \$100 for each day of the
5 violation."

6 SECTION 4. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
7 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
8 begun, before its effective date.

9 SECTION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
10 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

11 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



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Transportation

Description:

Expands authority of the Director of Transportation over
required motor carrier vehicle inspections. (HB2401 HD1)

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