

SB 2476

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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. Section 286-26, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:  
3           "(b) All other vehicles, including motorcycles, mopeds,  
4 trailers, semitrailers, and pole trailers having a gross vehicle  
5 weight rating of 10,000 pounds or less, and antique motor  
6 vehicles as defined in section 249-1, except those in  
7 subsections (c) and (d), shall be certified as provided in  
8 subsection (e) every twelve months; provided that any vehicle to  
9 which this subsection applies, except a moped, shall not require  
10 inspection within two years of the date on which the vehicle was  
11 first sold[-]; provided further that the department shall adopt  
12 rules for the purposes of this subsection."

13           SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
14 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

15           SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



**Report Title:**

Motor Vehicle Inspection; Safety Checks

**Description:**

Requires the department of transportation to adopt rules for motor vehicle inspection safety checks. Effective 7/1/2050.  
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**S. B. 2476, S.D. 2**  
**RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS**

House Committee on Consumer Protection &  
Commerce

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The Department of Transportation (DOT) **strongly supports** S.B. 2476, S.D. 2 relating to motor vehicle inspections. This bill requires the DOT to adopt rules for motor vehicle inspection safety checks.

S.B. 2476, S.D. 2 will allow the program to be run more efficiently, thereby improving safety, service and value to the public. Additionally, the interests of the public are protected by public hearings that allow opportunity for public input on any administrative rule amendment.

DOT urges the passage of S.B. 2476, S.D. 2.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

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Comments:

I would ask that all motor vehicle inspections be required every two years. Annual vehicle inspections are too frequent. Mahalo.