
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO VEHICLE INSPECTIONS.

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 part II to be appropriately
3 designated and to read as follows:

4 "§286- Vehicle inspector; certification; renewal. (a)

5 The director shall supervise and certify all inspectors
6 authorized to conduct vehicle inspections at official inspection
7 stations. The director shall:

8 (1) Determine minimum standards and application criteria
9 for inspectors;

10 (2) Administer written and performance examinations for
11 all applicants;

12 (3) Issue official inspector certificates;

13 (4) Monitor inspection activities of inspectors; and

14 (5) Conduct investigations of reported or suspected
15 improper inspection activities; provided that if the

16 director finds that an inspector has not properly

17 conducted inspections on three separate occasions, the



1 inspector certificate shall be subject to suspension
2 or revocation.

3 (b) Inspector certificates shall expire four years from
4 the date of issuance for first time inspectors and every two
5 years thereafter, unless revoked or suspended by the director.

6 (c) Recertification of inspectors shall follow the
7 application process for initial certification; provided that the
8 inspector shall be required to complete and pass the written and
9 performance examination administered by the director."

10 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
11 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
12 begun before its effective date.

13 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

14 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.



Report Title:

DOT; Vehicle Safety Inspections; Inspectors

Description:

Codifies certain certification, renewal, and violation processes of vehicle inspectors who conduct vehicle safety inspections under the DOT. (SD1)

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