A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EXPUNGEMENT.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 291E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
- 3 and to read as follows: 4 "\$291E- First-time offender of operating a vehicle after 5 consuming a measurable amount of alcohol for persons under the 6 age of twenty-one years prior to 1998; expungement. A person 7 sentenced prior to July 1, 1998, for a first-time offense of operating a vehicle after consuming a measurable amount of 8 9 alcohol while under the age of twenty-one years, pursuant to 10 section 291E-64, and who otherwise meets all the requirements of 11 section 291E-64, may apply to the court for expungement of the 12 record of conviction for the offense. The court shall issue a court order to expunge the record of conviction for the offense; 13 14 provided that the person has fulfilled the terms of the sentence imposed by the court. A person granted an expungement of 15

conviction under this section shall not be eligible for another

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- 1 expungement of conviction under this section or section 291E-
- 2 64."
- 3 SECTION 2. Chapter 706, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 4 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
- 5 and to read as follows:
- 6 "§706- First-time property offender prior to 1998;
- 7 probation; expungement. A person sentenced prior to July 1,
- 8 1998, for a first-time property offense, pursuant to section
- 9 706-622.9, and who otherwise meets all the requirements of
- 10 section 706-622.9, may apply to the court for expungement of the
- 11 record of conviction for the property offense. The court shall
- 12 issue a court order to expunge the record of conviction for the
- 13 property offense; provided that the person has fulfilled the
- 14 terms of the sentence imposed by the court. A person granted an
- 15 expungement of conviction under this section shall not be
- 16 eligible for another expungement of conviction under this
- 17 section or section 706-622.9."
- 18 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 19 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on March 22, 2075.

Report Title:

Expungement; Operating a Vehicle After Consuming a Measurable Amount of Alcohol; Property Offenses; Judiciary

Description:

Requires courts to, upon written request, expunge records of convictions for: (1) operating a vehicle after consuming a measurable amount of alcohol while under the age of twenty-one years; and (2) certain property offenses, if the sentencing occurred prior to 1998. Takes effect 3/22/2075. (SD1)

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