

**HB-1531**

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Comments:

Aloha Chair Todd, Vice-Chair Kila, and Honorable Committee Members:

I respectfully present this testimony to SUPPORT HB 1531, which would amend Section 431:10C-117 of the Hawai`i Revised Statutes to mandate suspending the driver's license of a driver or registered owner of a vehicle for operating a motor vehicle without any valid vehicle insurance policy. The Leeward Coast has endured far too many motor vehicle accidents where drivers lack a current vehicle registration and/or a valid insurance policy. Hawai`i's roadways need to weed out these flagrantly negligent drivers and create a barrier for those who can't take the time to purchase vehicle insurance by suspending/yanking their driver's licenses. With this statute enforced, hopefully more needless injuries and deaths can be prevented.

For all of the above reasons, I urge your Committee to please pass HB1531 out of your Committee and allow it to move forward during this Legislative Session. Mahalo for this opportunity to present this testimony supporting HB1531.

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Comments:

Aloha Chair Todd, Vice-Chair Kila, and Honorable Committee Members:

I present this testimony in SUPPORT of HB 1531, which amends Section 431:10C-117 of the Hawai`i Revised Statutes and mandates suspending driver`s licenses of drivers or registered owners of vehicles for operating a motor vehicle without any valid vehicle insurance policy. Our Leeward Coast has endured far too many motor vehicle accidents where drivers lack a current vehicle registration and/or a valid insurance policy. Hawai`i`s roadways need to weed out these flagrantly negligent drivers and create a barrier for those who can`t take the time to purchase vehicle insurance by suspending/yanking their driver`s licenses. With this statute enforced, hopefully more needless injuries and deaths can be prevented.

For all of the above reasons, I urge your Committee to please pass HB1531 out of your Committee and allow it to move forward during this Legislative Session. Mahalo for this opportunity to present this testimony supporting HB1531.

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