

ACT 90

H. B. NO. 133

A Bill for an Act Relating to Passenger Car Odometers.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. Chapter 292, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended as follows:

a. By amending section 292-1 to read:

“Sec. 292-1 Purpose. The purpose of this chapter is to assure the accuracy of the odometer-speedometer system installed in certain passenger cars introduced for sale, rent or lease; held for sale, rent or lease; offered for sale, rent or lease; sold or re-sold in the State of Hawaii.”

b. By amending section 292-4 to read:

“Sec. 292-4 Certificate requirement. Irrespective of any other general or specific law, regulation, or ordinance pertaining to passenger cars or their registration, inspection, fees, taxes, or licensing, no person shall introduce into the State for sale, rent or lease; hold for sale, rent or lease; offer for sale, rent or lease; sell, or resell, including barter or exchange, any passenger car unless such passenger car has installed an operable mileage measuring system and the mileage measuring system is described in detail on the manufacturer’s accompanying certificate of accuracy.

The certificate of accuracy shall contain an endorsement reflecting the condition of accuracy of the mileage measuring system, the exact odometer reading to the nearest mile and the odometer error referenced to a standard statute mile of 5280 feet as prescribed by the National Bureau of Standards.

The original endorsement shall be the responsibility of the manufacturer who may delegate this function to his authorized agent. Such delegation of authority does not negate the manufacturer’s responsibility for supplying a correct certificate of accuracy, properly endorsed as required herein.”

SECTION 2. New material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the underscoring.*

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 15, 1973.)

*Edited accordingly.