

ACT 137

H.B. NO. 2493

A Bill for an Act Relating to Commercial Driver's Licenses.

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

SECTION 1. Section 286-239, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

“(b) Commercial drivers’ licenses may be issued with any one or more of the following endorsements and restrictions:

- (1) “E” - Restricts the driver to vehicles not equipped with any manual transmission;
- ~~[(4)]~~ (2) “H” - Authorizes the driver to drive a vehicle transporting hazardous materials;
- ~~(3)~~ “K” - Restricts the driver from operating in interstate commerce as defined in title 49 Code of Federal Regulations section 390.5;
- ~~[(2)]~~ (4) “L” - Restricts the driver to vehicles not equipped with air brakes;
- ~~(5)~~ “M” - Restricts the driver from operating a class A passenger vehicle;
- ~~[(3)]~~ “T” - Authorizes driving double and triple trailers;
- ~~(4)~~ “P” - Authorizes driving vehicles carrying passengers;
- ~~(5)]~~ (6) “N” - Authorizes driving tank vehicles;
- ~~[(6)]~~ “X” - Represents a combination of hazardous materials and tank vehicle endorsements;]
- ~~(7)~~ “N” - Restricts the driver from operating a class A and B passenger vehicle;
- ~~(8)~~ “O” - Restricts the driver to non-tractor trailer commercial motor vehicles;
- ~~(9)~~ “P” - Authorizes driving vehicles carrying passengers;
- ~~[(10)]~~ “Q” - Restricts the driver from operating a commercial motor vehicle in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross vehicle weight rating;
- ~~(11)~~ “R” - Restricts the driver to operating a commercial motor vehicle on Lanai and Molokai only;
- ~~[(7)]~~ (12) “S” - Authorizes driving school buses;
- ~~(13)~~ “T” - Authorizes driving double and triple trailers;
- ~~[(8)]~~ (14) “V” - Indicates there is information about a medical variance on the commercial driver’s license information system driver record;
- ~~[(9)]~~ “K” - Restricts the driver from operating in interstate commerce as defined in title 49 Code of Federal Regulations section 390.5;]
- ~~(15)~~ “X” - Represents a combination of hazardous materials and tank vehicle endorsements; and
- ~~[(40)]~~ (16) “Z” - Restricts the driver to vehicles not equipped with full air brakes[;
- ~~(11)~~ “E” - Restricts the driver to vehicles not equipped with any manual transmission;
- ~~(12)~~ “O” - Restricts the driver to non-tractor trailer commercial motor vehicles;
- ~~(13)~~ “M” - Restricts the driver from operating a class A passenger vehicle; and
- ~~(14)~~ “N” - Restricts the driver from operating a class A and B passenger vehicle].”

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

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

(Approved July 1, 2024.)