A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREWORKS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 132D, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
- 3 and to read as follows:
- 4 "§132D- Disposal of confiscated fireworks. A law
- 5 enforcement agency that confiscates fireworks pursuant to
- 6 enforcement of this chapter may safely destroy or dispose of the
- 7 confiscated fireworks; provided that the law enforcement agency
- 8 shall retain a sample of each type of confiscated fireworks for
- 9 evidentiary purposes."
- 10 SECTION 2. Section 132D-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 11 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:
- "(b) Except as provided in subsection (a) or as otherwise
- 13 specifically provided for in this chapter, any person violating
- 14 any other provision of this chapter, shall be fined not more
- 15 than \$2,000 for each violation[-]; provided that the court may
- 16 impose an additional fine of up to \$100 per kilogram of
- 17 fireworks confiscated."



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- 1 SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general
- 2 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
- 3 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2019-2020 and
- 4 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
- 5 year 2020-2021 as a grant to the Honolulu police department to
- 6 procure a secure container to store confiscated fireworks.
- 7 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
- 8 of public safety for the purposes of this Act.
- 9 SECTION 4. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 10 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 11 begun before its effective date.
- 12 SECTION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 13 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 14 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on March 15, 2094.

Report Title:

Fireworks; Disposal; Fines; Honolulu Police Department; Appropriation

Description:

Allows law enforcement agencies to safely dispose of confiscated fireworks except for a sample that is to be retained for evidentiary purposes. Authorizes the court to impose an additional fine of up to \$100 for every kilogram of fireworks confiscated. Appropriates funds as a grant to the Honolulu Police Department for a secure container in which to store confiscated fireworks. Effective 3/15/2094. (SD2)

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