## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TRAFFIC CODE.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 291C-131, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows: 3 No vehicle shall be driven or moved on any highway: 4 (1)While loaded with any load; or 5 (2) After the load has been off-loaded, 6 if the load on the vehicle while loaded or after it is off-7 loaded, is not entirely covered by a cargo net, tarpaulin, 8 canopy, or other material designed to cover the load or the off-9 loaded vehicle to prevent the load or residual material after 10 off-loading from escaping from the vehicle, where the load 11 consists partially or entirely of loose paper, loose rubbish, 12 plastics, empty cartons, dirt, sand, or gravel." 13 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored. 14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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## Report Title:

Traffic Code; Spilling Loads on Highways

## Description:

Requires vehicles operating on highways to be covered after off-loading in the same manner as before off-loading to prevent residual loose paper, loose rubbish, plastics, empty cartons, dirt, sand, or gravel from escaping.