A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 707-702.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "[+]\$707-702.5[+] Negligent homicide in the first degree.
- 4 (1) A person [is guilty of] commits the offense of negligent
- 5 homicide in the first degree if that person causes the death of
- 6 another person by the operation of a vehicle in a negligent
- 7 manner while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- **8** (2) Negligent homicide in the first degree is a class B
- 9 felony.
- 10 (3) Upon a conviction under this section, the vehicle used
- 11 by the defendant at the time of the offense under this section
- 12 shall be subject to forfeiture pursuant to chapter 712A."
- 13 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 14 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 15 begun, before its effective date.
- 16 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 17 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Negligent Homicide; Vehicle Forfeiture

Description

Makes car driven in the offense of negligent homicide in the first degree subject to forfeiture.