A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUOR.

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

1	SECT	ION 1. Section 712-1250.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended b	y amending subsection (4) to read as follows:
3	"(4)	Promoting intoxicating liquor to a person under the
4	age of tw	enty-one is a petty misdemeanor. Any person convicted
5	of violat	ing this section may be sentenced as follows:
6	<u>(a)</u>	For a first conviction, the person may serve a minimum
7		term of imprisonment of no fewer than ten days;
8	(b)	For a second conviction within five years, the person
9		may serve a term of imprisonment of no fewer than
10		twenty days; and
11	<u>(c)</u>	For a third or subsequent conviction within five
12		years, the person may serve a term of imprisonment of
13		no fewer than thirty days."
14	SECT	ION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
15	SECT	ION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Promoting Liquor to Minors; Sentencing

Description:

Changes the classification of the offense of promoting intoxicating liquor to a minor from a misdemeanor to a petty misdemeanor. Allows the courts to impose a jail sentence for those convicted of the offense.