A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HARBORS.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 266-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is		
2	amended by	y amending subsection (b) to read as follows:	
3	"(b)	The director may also adopt, amend, and repeal such	
4	rules as are necessary:		
5	(1)	For the proper regulation and control of all shipping,	
6		traffic, and other related activities in the	
7		commercial harbors belonging to or controlled by the	
8		State[, and]; of the entry, departure, mooring, and	
9		berthing of vessels therein[7]; and [for the	
10		regulation and control] of all other matters and	
11		things connected with such [shipping;] activities;	
12	(2)	To establish safety measures and security requirements	
13		in or about the commercial harbors, land, and	
14		facilities belonging to or controlled by the State;	
15	[(2)]	(3) To prevent the discharge or throwing into	
16		commercial harbors of rubbish, refuse, garbage, or	
17		other substances likely to affect water quality or	

1		that contribute to making such harbors unsightly,
2		unhealthful, or unclean, or that are liable to fill up
3		shoal or shallow waters in, near, or affecting the
4		commercial harbors; and
5	[(3)]	(4) To prevent the escape of fuel or other oils or
6		substances into the waters in, near, or affecting
7		commercial harbors from any source point, including,
8		but not limited to, any vessel or pipes or storage
9		tanks upon the land."
10	SECT	ION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
11	and stric	ken. New statutory material is underscored.
12	SECT	ION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Harbors; Rules

Description:

Authorizes the Department of Transportation to adopt rules relating to safety measures, security requirements, and shipping activities for the purpose of protecting and ensuring the general public interest and safety of persons and vessels in the commercial harbors belonging to or controlled by the State. (SB1055 HD1)