A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE STATE VEHICLE WEIGHT TAX.

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

1	SECT	TION 1. Chapter 249, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated	
3	and to read as follows:	
4	"§249- Exemption for veterans. One noncommercial motor	
5	vehicle registered to a veteran who:	
6	(1)	Served during World War II and was honorably
7		discharged;
8	(2)	Served during the Korean war and was honorably
9		discharged; or
10	(3)	Is totally disabled for purposes of employability
11		according to the disability ratings of the United
12		States Department of Veterans Affairs as a result of a
13		service-related injury suffered while on active
14		military duty,
15	shall be exempt from the vehicle weight tax provided for in this	
16	chapter.	
17	For	the purposes of this section, "veteran" means any
18	person who has served in any of the armed services of the United	
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- 1 States, or any person who is now a citizen of the United States
- 2 who has served in any of the armed services of any country that
- 3 was an ally of the United States in a war or campaign in which
- 4 the United States was also engaged."
- 5 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 6 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect July 1, 2009.

Report Title:

Veterans; Vehicle Weight Tax Exemption

Description:

Provides for the exemption of vehicle weight taxes for one noncommercial vehicle per veteran who is totally disabled or served in World War II or the Korean War. (HB472 HD1)