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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE WEIGHT TAX.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 249-33, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:  
3           "(a) All vehicles and motor vehicles in the State as  
4 defined in section 249-1, including antique motor vehicles,  
5 except as otherwise provided in sections 249-3 to 249-6, in  
6 addition to all other fees and taxes levied by this chapter,  
7 shall be subject to an annual state vehicle weight tax. The tax  
8 shall be levied by the county director of finance at the rate of  
9 [~~.75~~] 1.75 cents a pound according to the net weight of each  
10 vehicle as the "net weight" is defined in section 249-1 up to  
11 and including four thousand pounds net weight; vehicles over  
12 four thousand pounds and up to and including seven thousand  
13 pounds net weight shall be taxed at the rate of [~~1.00-cent~~] 2.00  
14 cents a pound; vehicles over seven thousand pounds and up to and  
15 including ten thousand pounds net weight shall be taxed at the  
16 rate of [~~1.25~~] 2.25 cents a pound; vehicles over ten thousand  
17 pounds net weight shall be taxed at a flat rate of [~~\$150-~~]  
18 \$300."



1 SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the state highway  
2 fund the sum of \$ or so much thereof as may be necessary  
3 for fiscal year 2011-2012 and the same sum or so much thereof as  
4 may be necessary for fiscal year 2012-2013 for the operations  
5 and maintenance of the state highways program.

6 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department  
7 of transportation for the purposes of this Act.

8 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
9 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

10 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.



**Report Title:**

Motor Vehicle; Weight Tax; State Highway Fund; Operations;  
Maintenance

**Description:**

Allows for increase in the State motor vehicle weight tax and  
deposits the money into the State Highway Fund. Effective  
7/1/2050. (SD1)

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