A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SMOKING.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 328J-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
 2 amended to read as follows:
 3 "[+]\$328J-6[+] Presumptively reasonable distance. Smoking
 4 is prohibited within a presumptively reasonable minimum distance
- 5 of twenty feet from entrances, roofline borders of entrances,
- 6 exits, awnings, windows that open, and ventilation intakes that
- 7 serve an enclosed or partially enclosed area where smoking is
- 8 prohibited. Owners, operators, managers, employers, or other
- 9 persons who own or control a place open to the public or place
- 10 of employment may seek to rebut the presumption that twenty feet
- 11 is a reasonable distance by submitting an application to the
- 12 department. The presumption will be rebutted if the applicant
- 13 can show by clear and convincing evidence that, given the
- 14 circumstances presented by the location of entrances, roofline
- 15 borders of entrances, exits, awnings, windows that open,
- 16 ventilation intakes, or other factors, smoke will not infiltrate
- 17 into the place open to the public or place of employment."

- 1 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 2 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 3 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Smoking; Reasonable Distance; Roofline Borders of Entrances and Awnings

Description:

Prohibits smoking within a presumptively reasonable distance of 20 feet from roofline borders of entrances and awnings that serve an enclosed or partially enclosed area where smoking is prohibited.

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