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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 amending subsection (a) to read as follows: 3 The director of transportation may adopt rules as 4 necessary to: 5 Regulate the manner in which all vessels may enter and (1)moor, anchor or dock in the commercial harbors, ports, 7 and roadsteads of the State, or move from one dock, 8 wharf, pier, quay, bulkhead, landing, anchorage, or 9 mooring to another within the commercial harbors, 10 ports, or roadsteads; The examination, quidance, and control of harbor 11 (2) 12 masters and their assistants and their conduct while 13 on duty; 14 (3) The embarking or disembarking of passengers; 15 (4)Limit where possible, the allowable noise that may 16 emanate from vessels while using the commercial 17 harbors, ports, roadsteads, docks, wharves, piers, quays, bulkheads, and landings of the State; 18

1 $\left[\frac{4}{4}\right]$ (5) The expeditious and careful handling of freight, 2 goods, wares, and merchandise of every kind which may 3 be delivered for shipment or discharged on the 4 commercial docks, wharves, piers, guays, bulkheads, or 5 landings belonging to or controlled by the State; and 6 $\left[\frac{(5)}{(5)}\right]$ (6) Defining the duties and powers of carriers, 7 shippers, and consignees respecting passengers, 8 freight, goods, wares, and merchandise in and upon the 9 docks, wharves, piers, quays, bulkheads, or landings 10 within the commercial harbors, ports, and roadsteads 11 of the State. The director may also make further 12 rules for the safety of the docks, wharves, piers, 13 quays, bulkheads, and landings on, in, near, or 14 affecting a commercial harbor and waterfront 15 improvements belonging to or controlled by the State." 16 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed 17 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored. 18 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Harbors; Noise

Description:

Allows the director of transportation to adopt rules to regulate harbor noise.

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