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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SMOKING.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 421I, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
- 3 and to read as follows:
- 4 "§421I- Adoption of rules; prohibition of smoking
- 5 permitted. Unless otherwise prohibited by the articles of
- 6 incorporation or bylaws, a corporation may adopt rules to
- 7 prohibit tenant shareholders, guests, and all other persons from
- 8 smoking in dwelling units, common elements, or limited common
- 9 elements of the corporation."
- 10 SECTION 2. Section 514B-105, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 11 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:
- "(b) Unless otherwise permitted by the declaration,
- 13 bylaws, or this chapter, an association may adopt rules [and
- 14 regulations that affect the use of or behavior in units that
- 15 may be used for residential purposes only to:
- 16 (1) Prevent any use of a unit [which] that violates the
- 17 declaration or bylaws;



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1	(2)	Regulate any behavior in or occupancy of a unit
2		[which] that violates the declaration or bylaws or
3		unreasonably interferes with the use and enjoyment of
4		other units or the common elements by other unit
5		owners; [or]
6	(3)	Prohibit smoking by an owner, resident, or guest in
7		all units, common elements, or limited common elements
8		as defined in section 514B-3; or
9	[(3)]	(4) Restrict the leasing of residential units to the
10		extent those rules are reasonably designed to meet
11		underwriting requirements of institutional lenders who
12		regularly lend money secured by first mortgages on
13		units in condominiums or regularly purchase those
14		mortgages.
15	Otherwise, the association may not regulate any use of or	
16	behavior in units by means of the rules [and regulations]."	
17	SECT	ION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
18	and stric	ken. New statutory material is underscored.
19	SECT	ION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title:

Smoking; Condominiums; Cooperative Housing Corporations; Prohibition by Rule

Description:

Allows condominiums and cooperative housing corporations to adopt rules to prohibit smoking in units, common elements, or limited common elements.