A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TAXATION.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. During the regular session of 2007, the
- 2 Legislature enacted a fuel license tax on naphtha fuels used in
- 3 a power generating facility. The tax is currently set at a rate
- 4 of two cents per gallon.
- 5 The legislature finds that, pursuant to Act 103, Session
- 6 Laws of Hawaii 2007, as amended by Act 198, Session Laws of
- 7 Hawaii 2009, as amended by Act 188, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012,
- 8 this tax is scheduled to be repealed on December 31, 2015.
- 9 The purpose of this Act is to maintain the current fuel
- 10 license tax of two cents per gallon for naphtha fuels used in a
- 11 power generating facility.
- 12 SECTION 2. Act 103, Session Laws of Hawaii 2007, as
- 13 amended by Act 198, Session Laws of Hawaii 2009, as amended by
- 14 Act 188, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012, is amended by amending
- 15 section 5 to read as follows:
- "SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval[+
- 17 provided that:
- 18 (1) The amendments made to this Act to:



1		(A) The definition of "power-generating facility" in
2		section 243-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes; and
3		(B) Section 243-4(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes,
4		shall be repealed on December 31, 2015, and section
5		243-4(a), Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be reenacted
6		in the form in which it read on the day before the
7	•	effective date of this Act; and
8	(2)	The rate of tax for naphtha as provided for in section
9		243-4(a)(3), Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be
10		effective retroactively and apply to any imposition of
11		the fuel tax on naphtha sold for use in a power
12		generating facility]."
13	SECT	ION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
14	and stric	ken.
15	SECT	ION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Power Generation; Naphtha Fuel Tax; Sunset; Repeal

Description:

Amends session law to repeal the sunset provision relating to the tax on naphtha fuel sold for use in a power generating facility, thereby making the amendments made by Act 103, Session Laws of Hawaii 2007, permanent. (SD1)

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