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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO ELECTRIC BICYCLES.

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

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to define and
2 regulate electric bicycles.

3 SECTION 2. Chapter 291C, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
4 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
5 and to read as follows:

6 "§291C- Electric bicycles. (a) An electric bicycle
7 shall be treated as a bicycle and operated on bikeways and
8 roadways as a bicycle, except as provided in section 291C-
9 148(b) .

10 (b) An electric bicycle shall be registered as a bicycle
11 pursuant to section 249-14."

12 SECTION 3. Section 291C-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
13 amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted
14 and to read as follows:

15 ""Electric bicycle" means any bicycle with an electric
16 motor, which generates less than seven hundred fifty watts, with



1 a top motor-powered speed not in excess of twenty miles per
2 hour, and a total weight of less than one-hundred pounds."

3 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

4 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Electric Bicycles

Description:

Defines and regulates electric bicycles.

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