THE SENATE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, 2017 STATE OF HAWAII S.B. NO. 1284

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.

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

SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to verify that only
 legal fireworks are being shipped into the State by requiring
 the county fire departments, or persons authorized by the fire
 departments, to inspect all cargo shipping containers which have
 been declared to contain legal fireworks.

6 SECTION 2. Section 132D-8.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

8 "(b) The fire department of a county, or persons 9 authorized by the fire department of any county, in which a 10 shipment of fireworks or articles pyrotechnic has landed and 11 becomes subject to the jurisdiction of the fire department, 12 shall [be allowed to inspect, if it chooses, any] inspect each 13 shipment declared on the shipping manifest as fireworks or 14 articles pyrotechnic [-] to verify that fireworks or articles of 15 pyrotechnic contained in the shipment meet the applicable

16 requirements of this chapter."



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SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

INTRODUCED BY:

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Report Title:

Fireworks; Cargo Shipping Containers; Inspection; Fire Departments

Description:

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