
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CHILDLIKE SEX DOLLS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that there is a
2 disturbing trend involving the use of childlike sex dolls. Not
3 only do the physical features of these dolls resemble minor
4 children, but some dolls even have robotic properties that allow
5 their "personalities" to be customized.

6 The legislature recognizes that a correlation exists
7 between possession of these dolls and possession of and
8 participation in child pornography. As the United States
9 Supreme Court has pointed out, obscene material is often used to
10 methodically seduce child victims. The dolls and robots, some
11 of which have a programmable "rape function", are intrinsically
12 related to abuse of minors. They can cause the exploitation,
13 objectification, abuse, and rape of minors, as well as increase
14 the likelihood of rapes by teaching potential rapists how to
15 overcome resistance and subdue their victims.



1 Therefore, the purpose of this Act is to establish the
2 felony offense of importation, sale, or possession of a
3 childlike sex doll.

4 SECTION 2. Chapter 712, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
5 amended by adding a new section to part II to be appropriately
6 designated and to read as follows:

7 "§712- Importation, sale, or possession of a childlike
8 sex doll. (1) A person commits the offense of importation,
9 sale, or possession of a childlike sex doll if the person
10 intentionally, knowingly, or recklessly:

11 (a) Imports or causes to be imported into the State a
12 childlike sex doll;

13 (b) Sells, distributes, or otherwise provides to another
14 person a childlike sex doll; or

15 (c) Possesses a childlike sex doll.

16 (2) The importation, sale, or possession of ten or fewer
17 childlike sex dolls is a class C felony.

18 (3) The importation, sale, or possession of more than ten
19 childlike sex dolls is a class B felony.

20 (4) For purposes of this section, "childlike sex doll"
21 means an anatomically correct doll, mannequin, or robot with



1 features that resemble those of a minor and that is designed or
 2 intended for use in a sexual act."

3 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
 4 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
 5 begun before its effective date.

6 SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

7 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title:

Penal Code; Childlike Sex Dolls; Importation, Sale, or Possession Prohibited

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