# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE COUNTIES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 46, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
- 2 by adding a new section to part I to be appropriately designated
- 3 and to read as follows:
- 4 "<u>§46-</u> <u>Planning and permitting fines; discounts</u>
- 5 prohibited. (a) Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary,
- 6 a county shall not authorize or accept a discounted payment of a
- 7 fine levied by the county department or agency that administers
- 8 planning and permitting.
- 9 (b) Any ordinance or rule that conflicts with subsection
- 10 (a) shall be void.
- 11 (c) As used in this section, "discounted payment" means a
- 12 payment that is less than the full amount of a levied fine, but
- 13 does not include partial payments if the full amount remains
- `14 due."
- 15 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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### Report Title:

Counties; Planning and Permitting; Fines; Discounts Prohibited

### Description:

Prohibits a county from accepting a discounted payment of a fine levied by the county planning and permitting department or agency.

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