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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE SUN SCREENING DEVICES.

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

1	SECT	ION 1. Section 291-21.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended b	y amending subsection (d) to read as follows:
3	"(d)	This section shall not apply to:
4	(1)	Rearview mirrors;
5	(2)	Adjustable nontransparent sun visors [which] <u>that</u> are
6		mounted forward of the side windows and are not
7		attached to the glazing material;
8	(3)	Signs, stickers, or other materials [which] <u>that</u> are
9		displayed in a seven-inch square in the lower corner
10		of the windshield farthest removed from the driver or
11		signs, stickers, or other materials which are
12		displayed in a five-inch square in the lower corner of
13		the windshield nearest the driver;
14	(4)	Rear trunk lid handle or hinges;
15	(5)	Window wipers and window wiper motors;
16	(6)	Transparent sun screening film materials [which] <u>that</u>
17		are installed, affixed, or applied along the top edge



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of the windshield so long as such materials do not 1 encroach upon the AS-1 portion of the windshield as 2 provided by Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 205 3 4 or no lower than four inches below the top of the windshield, when measured from the middle point of the 5 bottom edge of the top windshield moulding if no AS-1 6 7 markings can be found in the left or right upper margin of the windshield; 8

9 (7) Sun screening devices for front side wing vents and
10 windows [which,] that, when used in conjunction with
11 the glazing material have a light transmittance of no
12 less than thirty-five per cent plus or minus six per
13 cent;

[(8) Sun screening devices for side windows necessary for 14 15 driving visibility which are to the rear of the driver 16 and for rear windows necessary for driving visibility which, when used in conjunction with the glazing 17 18 material, have a light transmittance of no less than thirty five per cent plus or minus six per cent; 19 20 (9) [(8) Side windows [which] that are to the rear of the 21 driver and rear windows on [vans, minivans, trucks, or



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1	buses;] any motor vehicle as defined in section 249-1;
2	provided that the vehicles are equipped with rearview
3	mirrors on both sides;
4	[(10)] <u>(9)</u> Privacy drapes, curtains, or blinds, or any
5	combination, installed on the interior of motor homes;
6	or
7	$\left[\frac{(11)}{(10)}\right]$ Transparent sun screening materials, when applied
8	to the AS-1 portion of the windshield, [which meets]
9	that meet the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle
10	Safety Standard 205."
11	SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
12	matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
13	begun before its effective date.
14	SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
15	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
16	SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title: Motor Vehicles; Sun Screening Devices

Description:

Repeals provision requiring light transmittance of no less than 35% on side and rear windows of certain vehicles using sun screening devices and glazing material. Expands exemption from regulation of sun screening side windows and rear windows of certain motor vehicles, including passenger vehicles, provided that the vehicles are equipped with rearview mirrors.

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