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### A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HARASSMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 711, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated 3 and to read as follows: 4 Indecent harassment. (1) A person commits the 5 offense of indecent harassment if, without consent and with the intent to arouse or gratify the sexual desire of any person, the 6 7 person: 8 Exposes or attempts to expose another person's (a) 9 genitals, pubic area, anus, buttocks, or female 10 areola; or 11 (b) Causes another person to contact the blood, seminal 12 fluid, vaginal fluid, saliva, urine, or feces of any 13 person. 14 (2) Indecent harassment is a misdemeanor." 15 SECTION 2. Section 571-14, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 16 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

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- 1 "(b) The court shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the
- 2 district court over violations of sections 707-712, 707-717,
- **3** 707-722, 708-822, 708-823, 710-1010.5, 711-1106, [and]
- 4 711-1106.5, and 711- when multiple offenses are charged
- 5 through complaint or indictment and at least one offense is a
- 6 violation of an order issued pursuant to chapter 586 or a
- 7 violation of section 709-906."
- 8 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 9 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 10 begun before its effective date.
- 11 SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 12 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 13 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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#### Report Title:

Indecent Harassment; Misdemeanor

### Description:

Establishes the offense of indecent harassment as a misdemeanor.

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