

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

June 27, 2022

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Thirty-First State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on June 27, 2022, the following bill was signed into law:

SB3121 SD2 HD1 CD1

RELATING TO FUNDING FOR PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS. **ACT 161**

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

THE SENATE
THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE, 2022
STATE OF HAWAII

ACT 161
S.B. NO. S.D. 2
H.D. 1
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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FUNDING FOR PARKING FOR DISABLED PERSONS.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Chapter 291, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by adding a new section to part III to be appropriately
- 3 designated and to read as follows:
- 4 "§291- Costs. Beginning July 1, 2023, all costs
- 5 associated with the statewide parking for persons with
- 6 disabilities program shall be paid using moneys appropriated
- 7 from the accessible parking special account established pursuant
- 8 to section 348F- ."
- 9 SECTION 2. Chapter 348F, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 10 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
- 11 and to read as follows:
- 12 "\$348F- Accessible parking special account. (a) There
- is established within the disability and communication access
- 14 board special fund the accessible parking special account to be
- 15 administered by the disability and communication access board,
- 16 into which shall be deposited \$1 from each annual motor vehicle
- 17 registration fee pursuant to section 249-31(b). All interest

- 1 earned or accrued on the moneys shall become part of the special
- 2 account.
- 3 (b) Moneys in the accessible parking special account shall
- 4 be expended to cover the costs to administer the statewide
- 5 parking program for persons with disabilities under part III of
- 6 chapter 291."
- 7 SECTION 3. Section 249-31, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 8 amended to read as follows:
- 9 "§249-31 State registration fee. (a) All vehicles and
- 10 motor vehicles in the State as defined in section 249-1,
- 11 including antique motor vehicles, except as otherwise provided
- 12 in sections 249-4, 249-6, and 249-31.5, shall be subject to a
- 13 [\$45] \$46 annual vehicle registration fee; provided that
- 14 electric vehicles and alternative fuel vehicles shall pay an
- 15 annual vehicle registration surcharge fee of \$50, which shall be
- 16 assessed and collected beginning with the first registration
- 17 renewal for every electric vehicle and alternative fuel vehicle
- 18 and shall be deposited into the state highway fund established
- 19 under section 248-8. The fee shall be paid each year together
- 20 with all other taxes and fees levied by this chapter on a
- 21 staggered basis as established by each county as authorized by

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- 1 section 286-51, and the state registration for that county shall
- 2 likewise be staggered so that the state registration fee is due
- 3 and payable at the same time and shall be collected together
- 4 with the county fee. The state registration fee shall be deemed
- 5 delinquent if not paid with the county registration fee. The
- 6 respective counties shall collect this fee together with the
- 7 vehicle registration tax collected for the county and shall
- 8 transfer the moneys collected under this section to the State.
- 9 (b) In addition to the annual vehicle registration
- 10 surcharge fee, for each annual motor vehicle registration fee,
- 11 the director shall deposit \$40 into the state highway fund
- 12 [and], \$5 into the emergency medical services special fund[-],
- 13 and \$1 into the accessible parking special account."
- 14 SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 15 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 16 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2023.

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APPROVED this 27th day of June , 2022

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: May 3, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2022.

President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 3121, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 03, 2022 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.

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Scott K. Saiki Speaker House of Representatives

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Brian L. Takeshita

Chief Clerk

House of Representatives