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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

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RELATING TO MOTOR CARRIERS.

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

1       SECTION 1. Section 271-36, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3       "(a) Every common carrier by motor vehicle and every  
4 contract carrier by motor vehicle shall pay to the commission,  
5 in April of each year, a fee equal to one-fourth of one per cent  
6 of the gross revenues from the carrier's business during the  
7 preceding calendar year, or the sum of \$20, whichever is  
8 greater[-]; provided that for a common carrier by motor vehicle  
9 that is a tour bus operator or a contract carrier by motor  
10 vehicle that is a tour bus operator, the fee shall be equal to  
11 2.5 per cent of the gross revenues from the tour bus operator's  
12 business during the preceding calendar year, or the sum of \$20,  
13 whichever is greater. Gross revenues include all revenues  
14 received from services connected with or incidental to the  
15 transportation of persons or the transportation of property, as  
16 defined under section 271-4.

17       For the purposes of this subsection:



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1       "Tour bus" means a bus used for the purpose of transporting  
2 persons for pleasure or sightseeing trips; or transporting  
3 persons to pleasure or sightseeing cruises or destinations.

4       "Tour bus" does not include a bus used solely for the purposes  
5 of transporting individuals to and from a place of work or a  
6 public or private school or solely for the purpose of  
7 transporting persons with disabilities.

8       "Tour bus operator" means a person who owns, manages, or  
9 dispatches tour buses."

10       SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
11 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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INTRODUCED BY:



JAN 25 2022



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**Report Title:**

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Fees

**Description:**

Specifies that the fee for a common or contract carrier by motor vehicle that is a tour bus operator is 2.5 per cent of the tour bus operator's gross revenues or \$20, whichever is greater.

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