

STATE OF HAWAI‘I
OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER

**Testimony of the Office of the Public Defender,
State of Hawai‘i, to the House Committee on
Consumer Protection and Commerce**

February 4, 2022

H.B. No. 2502: RELATING TO FIREWORKS

Chair Aaron Ling Johanson, Vice Chair Lisa Kitagawa and Members of the Committee:

The Office of the Public Defender respectfully opposes H.B. No. 2502, which would create a civil cause of action which could be brought by any person other than an officer or employee of the State or a local governmental entity in the State, for certain violations or aiding or abetting certain violations of the Fireworks Control Law, with statutory damages.

The proponents of this bill wish to allow ordinary citizens the right to bring civil actions against their neighbors and others that they believe have violated the Fireworks Control Law. Although the Office of the Public Defender does agree that there is a problem with the illegal use of fireworks within the State of Hawai‘i, we believe that this proposal is not the proper way to solve this problem.

As written, this bill would allow a citizen to file a civil claim against another, with the possibility of gaining injunctive relief or winning a minimum of a \$10,000 civil judgment, without having to worry about losing the claim, or having to pay a defendant for the costs of litigation including attorney’s fees if said claim is lost at trial. This creates an incentive to file said claims, even false claims, without any negative consequence for doing so, and will result in the court system being inundated with such civil filings.

Subsection (5) allows for the filing of a civil claim against any person who “intends to engage in” the prohibited conduct without any definition of said term, thus leaving this term up to interpretation by the fact finder at a trial and leaving the public without an understanding of what actions are allowed or prohibited. Furthermore, this bill, in a sense, “deputizes” regular citizens with no legal or law enforcement training to enforce laws that should be left entirely to law enforcement personnel. This would create disharmony within neighborhoods by pitting neighbor against

neighbor, which could result in further litigation: including the seeking of temporary restraining orders, and the filing of harassment and other criminal charges between neighbors.

Most troubling is subsection (d), which greatly interferes with the judicial branch of government's ability to conduct trials and litigation in this area, by limiting arguments of unconstitutionality, reliance on statutory defenses, and disregarding judicial precedent. The need to prevent the illegal use of fireworks, as laudable as that is, should not force us to give up our legal principles and protections.

For these reasons, the Office of the Public Defender respectfully opposed this bill.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this measure.

HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/2/2022 1:23:19 PM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
lynne matusow	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

These are crimes. They should be treated as criminal acts, not civil. Please amend this measure to replace civil with criminal throughout. Pets are harmed or killed, people have been injured or killed, property has been burned or destroyed. That is criminal. By using civil you are okaying the use of these dangerous missiles and the damage will continue.

HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/2/2022 2:25:54 PM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Cathy Goeggel	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

This is a much needed bill to seriously address the out of control illegal fireworks that continue year after year. Please advance HB2502. Thank you.

HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/2/2022 3:01:30 PM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Lynn Murakami-Akatsuka	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

To Members of the House Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce,

I strongly support the passage of HB 2502 during this session. It is a comprehensive bill and covers those who initiate and are involved in fireworks-related violations to be made accountable with consequences attached.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/3/2022 6:02:37 AM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Jennifer Chiwa	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Aloha Chairperson Johanson, Vice Chairperson Kitagawa and Members of the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

I am Jennifer Chiwa and have lived on Oahu my whole life. I currently reside in Makiki.

Please support HB 2502.

Mahalo.

HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/3/2022 12:54:16 PM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Katie Bourke	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

To whom it may concern,

As a lifelong resident of Hawaii, I am in favor of individuals being able to create a civil cause of action, for certain violations or aiding or abetting certain violations of the Fireworks Control Law. The people who violate the Fireworks Control Law should be held accountable.

As a child, Fireworks were a joyous occasion and would occur a handful times a year (on Holidays). Now we have aerial fireworks going off almost every day and night, all year long, in my neighborhood of Ahuimanu. They are very loud, setting off car alarms, and some causing the house to shake. (It seems someone in my neighborhood has been making homemade fireworks, that sound more like bombs.) Every time the fireworks go off, it causes all the dogs in the neighborhood to start barking, no matter what the time. Fireworks go off at all hours of the night and day. Fireworks going off on a random Tuesday at 2am is a common occurrence.

My dog has become so terrified of the fireworks that she can cause physical damage to our belongings and the house if left unattended. She refuses to eat and visibly shakes for hours, and must be confined to a crate with a blanket covering it. The fireworks over the past two years have gotten so bad, and so frequent, that now my dog starts to get scared and anxious at dusk, simply because she knows the fireworks are coming.

The Fireworks have been disrupting my sleep, waking me up multiple times a night. Not good for my health. The only solution to the constant "BOOMS" of the fireworks, is to close all the windows and run the AC, in an attempt to block out the noise. Running the AC for this reason seems really silly when it's 60 degrees out in the winter time next to the Koolaus. But closing the windows and running the AC is the only way to get sleep and do my job the next day. But running the AC costs me extra \$\$ every night and is a waste since the natural weather is so pleasant most of the time. We run the AC more during the winter time, than we do during the hot summer, simply because of the fireworks.

It has gotten so bad that my Husband and I have talked about moving to the mainland simply because the Fireworks have been negatively affecting us so much. I want to continue to live in Hawaii, it's my home, my family is here. Please help put a stop to all the illegal fireworks going off in our communities. Thank you.

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February 3, 2022

The Honorable Aaron Ling Johanson, Chair
Committee on Consumer Protection
and Commerce
House of Representatives
State Capitol, Room 436
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Johanson:

Subject: House Bill (HB) 2502 Relating to Fireworks

I am Steven Goble, Chair of the Hawaii State Fire Council (SFC). The SFC supports HB 2502, which creates a civil cause of action that may be brought by any person, other than an officer or employee of the State or a local governmental entity in the State, for certain violations or aiding or abetting certain violations of the Fireworks Control Law, with statutory damages.

There is a general sense that the use of illegal fireworks and improvised explosive devices have substantially increased in recent years. A search of youtube.com using the term "aerial fireworks Hawaii New Years" reveals pervasive use of illegal aerial fireworks in many neighborhoods. As a consequence, serious injuries, property damage, and fatalities have occurred.

The SFC supports legislation to potentially deter the illegal use of fireworks. The general welfare, public safety, and property protection are priorities for the SFC and we respectfully request your committee's passage of HB 2502.

Should you have questions, please contact SFC Administrative Specialist Gary Lum at 723-7169 or glum@honolulu.gov.

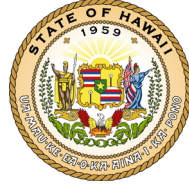
Sincerely,

STEVEN GOBLE
Chair

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Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Steven Goble.

STEVEN GOBLE
Chair

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Dear Chair Johanson:

Subject: House Bill (HB) 2502 Relating to Fireworks

My name is Sheldon K. Hao, Fire Chief of the Honolulu Fire Department (HFD). The HFD supports HB 2502, which creates a civil cause of action that may be brought by any person, other than an officer or employee of the State of Hawaii (State) or a local governmental entity in the State, for certain violations or aiding or abetting certain violations of the Fireworks Control Law with statutory damages.

A search of aerial fireworks in Hawaii via a major video-sharing website reveals pervasive use of illegal aerial fireworks in many neighborhoods thereby confirming the use of illegal fireworks and improvised explosive devices have substantially increased in recent years. As a consequence, serious injuries, property damage, and fatalities have occurred.

The general welfare, public safety, and property protection are priorities for the HFD. We support legislation to potentially deter the illegal use of fireworks and respectfully request your committee's passage of HB 2502.

Should you have questions, please contact Administrative Specialist Gary Lum at 808-723-7169 or glum@honolulu.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sheldon K. Hao".

SHELDON K. HAO
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Dear Chair Johanson:

Subject: House Bill (HB) 2502 Relating to Fireworks

I am Kazuo S. K. L. Todd, Fire Chief for the Hawai'i Fire Department. I support HB 2502, which creates a civil cause of action that may be brought by any person, other than an officer or employee of the State or a local government entity in the State, for certain violations or aiding or abetting certain violations of the Fireworks Control Law, with statutory damages.

Illegal aerial fireworks and improvised explosive devices have substantially increased in recent years. As a consequence, serious injuries, property damage, and fatalities have occurred. Something needs to be done and I support legislation to potentially deter the illegal use of fireworks.

The general welfare, public safety, and property protection are priorities for emergency services, and I respectfully request your committee's passage of HB 2502.

Should you have questions, please contact me at 808-932-2903 or kazuo.todd@hawaiicounty.gov

Sincerely,

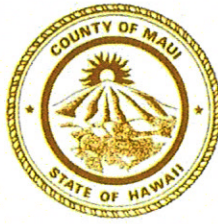
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Dear Chair Johanson:

SUBJECT: HOUSE BILL (HB) 2502 RELATING TO FIREWORKS

I am Bradford Ventura, member of the Hawaii State Fire Council (SFC) and Fire Chief of the Maui Fire Department. The SFC supports HB 2502, which creates a civil cause of action that may be brought by any person, other than an officer or employee of the State or a local governmental entity in the State, for certain violations or aiding or abetting certain violations of the Fireworks Control Law, with statutory damages.

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If you have questions, please contact SFC Administrative Specialist Gary Lum at (808) 723-7169 or glum@honolulu.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brad Ventura".

BRADFORD K. VENTURA
Fire Chief



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RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE HAWAII CONGRESSIONAL AND LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO EMPLOY THEIR RESOURCES TO STOP TONS OF ILLEGAL AERIAL FIREWORKS EXPLOSIVES BEING TRANSPORTED TO HAWAII

WHEREAS, several Hawaii residents have complained about illegal aerial fireworks that are negatively impacting their daily lives with bad actor neighbors and individuals launching low altitude extremely loud aerial bomb firework explosions at all hours of the day, all year around and primarily targeting neighborhoods late evenings while people are resting or at sleep, and

WHEREAS, bad actor individuals have modified illegal fireworks into Improvised Explosive Devices (IED) such as pipe bombs to create a much greater low altitude or ground extremely loud explosions which severely impacted the health and safety of the elderly in care homes, disabled Vets with PTSD, children and family pets with some running away from home and being hit by vehicles, and

WHEREAS, the State Legislature previously took action on illegal aerial fireworks with increasing fines and developing a task force in the year 2010 comprised of the Federal Government representatives from ATF, U.S Customs, U.S. Coast Guard, HPD, HFD and port facilities commercial shipping companies; however, this task force did not produce results or any interdiction of illegal fireworks at our port facilities due to the excuse of inspectors claiming there are too many containers to be inspected and the community perception of possible corruption with inspectors, and

WHEREAS, the Honolulu Police Department is overwhelmed with the number of 911 calls that come in all year round and especially for New Years celebrations but the current law requires police officers to actually witness bad actor neighbors and individuals lighting the fuse of illegal fire works before any citation can be initiated or any further City prosecution which is not realistic for arresting the bad actors, and

WHEREAS, the Federal Government such as ATF, FBI and Customs and Border Protection have the classified resources, technology and capabilities to identify, track, interdict and prosecute individuals involved in trans-national organized crime rings transporting and selling tons of explosive illegal aerial fireworks between China and the U.S., which support bad actor residents terrorizing Hawaii neighborhoods, and

WHEREAS, it is suspected by the community and others that the bulk of illegal fireworks are produced in Liuyang, China, transported to Shanghai where the product is loaded into shipping containers and onto Chinese cargo merchant vessels bound for Los Angeles where the product is suspect to be transited by ground to other destinations where the product is then placed into Trojan Horse non-declared explosive shipping containers disguised as high priority goods which are then shipped to major U.S. mainland cities and Hawaii, and

WHEREAS, the Federal Government agencies have the capability to track containers and those suspect containers could be inspected at Honolulu Ports by Federal Agents with trained sniffing dogs or technology devices previously used in the Middle East for detecting explosive material and IEDs, and

WHEREAS, deceptive shipping containers arrive in Hawaii, usually by October each year base on a spike in use of illegal aerial bomb fireworks and this material is temporary stored in commercial warehouses and neighborhood communities and it is only a matter of time where there could be a fireworks accident in this storage area blowing up a city block or residential neighborhood taking many lives of our residents, and

BE IT RESOLVED that the Pearl City Neighborhood Board is requesting our State Legislators and Congressional Representatives to request assistance from the Federal Government to employ their resources to stop illegal fireworks from entering Hawaii ports and to collect evidence for prosecution for all involved in the shipping and storage process to

include bad actor local government employees involved in the distribution of illegal fireworks that should be charged with Class “A” felonies and loss of retirement pensions, and

BE IT RESOLVED that the Pearl City Neighborhood Board requests the State Legislature to improve current illegal fireworks and explosive laws to increase fines and coordinate with the City and County of Honolulu and Judicial authority to develop a monetary reward amount to solicit information from residents on locations of storage of illegal fireworks in warehouses and residential areas to help mitigate this serious safety situation in our neighborhoods and commercial areas; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Pearl City Neighborhood Board requests that Hawaii District Court improve the timeliness for neighborhood residents to litigate potential law suits against bad actor neighbors and individuals to collect punitive damages for the terroristic loud explosions gravely impacting the health and safety of their families and pets with the use of eye witnesses reports coupled with video evidence, signed affidavits by neighbors and HPD police reports for each terroristic loud explosion event that will support the civil suit and possibly lead to criminal prosecution, and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to Hawaii Congressional Representatives; Governor David Ige; Senator Clarence Nishihara; Senator Bennette E. Misalucha; Representative Gregg Takayama; Representative Roy Takumi; Mayor Rick Blangiardi Honolulu City Council, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives Honolulu Office; Federal Bureau of Investigation Honolulu Office; U.S. Customs and Border Protection Honolulu Office; Joint Interagency Task Force - West USINDOPACOM; and all Neighborhood Board Chairs.

The Pearl City Neighborhood Board No. 21 unanimously approved at its January 25, 2022 Regular Board meeting, by 10-0-0 vote.

Submitted By: Larry Veray, Chair



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TESTIMONY OF
LARRY S VERAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
TO THE COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER PROTECTION & COMMERCE

MOST STRONGLY SUPPORT HB 2502

RELATING TO FIREWORKS

February 3, 2022

Aloha, Chair Johanson, Vice Chair Lisa Kitagawa and Committee members. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to provide testimony on HB 2502.

I am Chair for the Pearl City Neighborhood Board No. 21 representing our board and all our residents, families and pets negatively impacted by the random, all hours of the day, terroristic loud aerial fireworks explosions impacting our lives daily. Our board unanimously approved our resolution on fireworks at our January 25, 2022 Neighborhood Board meeting to include mitigation recommendations for our Congressional Representatives and State Legislators.

This bill has a huge positive impact on our community residents empowering "The People" to come forward from their neighborhoods as multiple neighbors standing up strong against bad actors and individuals who reside in their neighborhoods either sponsoring or directly using illegal aerial fireworks. I believe most neighbors can tolerate low impacting fireworks on New Years day and the 4th of July celebrations but when they are impacted daily by jolting loud aerial bombs, they can only take so much after they call 911 requesting police to help mitigate their noise problems. Regretfully, HPD does not have the resources to enforce fireworks laws; however they are still needed to gather evidence and file police reports on behalf of the community.

Bill 2502 will empower the community to gather strong evidence with video recordings of the impacting events, signed affidavits from negatively impacted neighbors and couple that will the HPD police report will be the required evidence to perform a civil suit against bad actor neighbors or other individuals. If our judges provide punitive damages to the victims of these loud explosions per family member and pet; this will send a clear message to those who want to conduct urban terrorism that they will pay in one way or the other. This evidence could lead to felony convictions.

I most strongly urge you to support and approve HB 2502 coupled with the above recommended language for this bill. We are with you! Mahalo!

Very respectfully,

Larry S. Veray



improving the quality of lives of pets and their people.

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Testimony by Alicia Maluafiti, Board President Poi Dogs & Popoki
In support of HB 2502 - Relating to Fireworks
House Committee on Consumer Protection & Commerce
Friday, February 4, 2022, 2 pm – via Zoom

Aloha Chair Johanson and members of the Committee,

Poi Dogs & Popoki (PDP) is a nonprofit animal welfare organization with a mission to help people and their pets. We are in support of HB 2502 which would create a civil cause of action that can be brought against fireworks violators.

While I believe that many people are already fearful of reporting illegal fireworks users, this law would be another opportunity to deter illegal fireworks use. So it can be an important prevention strategy. Specifically – because we know the neighbors that are enabling fireworks use on their properties, HB 2502 would hold that homeowner or lessee liable. Facing the probability of a \$10,000 possible civil lawsuit is a strong disincentive and just another tool in the illegal fireworks tool box.

Sadly – since HPD and the prosecuting attorney’s office has failed residents with respect to citing and prosecuting violators, civil litigation is the appropriate course of action. Time to hold everyone accountable. They may not be physically lighting the fuse. But these people that allow illegal fireworks on their properties are part of the problem. Please pass HB 2502.

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COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER PROTECTION & COMMERCE

HEARING – FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2022

To: Rep. Johanson, Chair
and the Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce

Fr: Maureen Andrade, 70 year resident of Waipahu

Subject: Testimony on all 7 fireworks bills (HBs1695, 1696, 2502, 1969, 2273,
2275 and 1604)

Aloha Chair Johanson and members of the CPC Committee. My name is Maureen Andrade. I have been a resident of Waipahu for 70 years and during my younger years fireworks were a way to bring in the new year... "firecrackers, sparklers" and it was enjoyable.

Today, every single one of us have witnessed an alarming amount of illegal fireworks... explosives, canister type bombs, homemade bombs and aerals, jumping jacks etc. None of these are LEGAL right? None of these are done for "religious purposes" right?

I am the president of the Village Park Community Association, a little more 1800 homes. For more than 2 years now, every single night, we have been terrorized by very loud explosives, bombs and aerals. It starts at 6:30 pm into the late night and sometimes 1:00 – 3:00 am. We have not had a quiet night at all. I know that we are not the only community that are experiencing this, so in short...

I am in support of all the bills listed on this agenda, I just pray that one of them will find its way to the floor and gets the votes we need...

Mahalo for you time,

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HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/3/2022 6:38:30 PM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Joanna Pashdag	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

I strongly OPPOSE HB2502. It appears the main purpose of this bill is to allow people to be punished under a lesser standard (e.g., preponderance of the evidence rather than reasonable doubt). This would set a dangerous precedent for criminal charges. Can't get a conviction? Just change the threshold by making it a civil case, and create financial incentives for people to bring a case against their neighbor! This is not the way we should do things in this state.

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HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/4/2022 12:27:19 AM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Samuel Mitchell	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Support HB2502

Sam Mitchell Makiki NB-10

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HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/4/2022 9:41:35 AM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Cory Chun	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Please address illegal fireworks. Mahalo.

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HB-2502

Submitted on: 2/4/2022 1:13:41 PM

Testimony for CPC on 2/4/2022 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Remote Testimony Requested
Kimberly Wallace	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Dear Representative Johanson, Chair, Representative Kitigawa, Vice Chair, and Members of the Committee:

I am in support of HB2502.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly Wallace