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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SPEED LIMITS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 291C-107, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3 "(a) The department of transportation or a county shall
4 consider the following factors when setting a maximum speed
5 limit pursuant to section 291C-102:

6 (1) An engineering study conducted for the road whose
7 maximum speed limit is being set; provided that the
8 engineering study shall include an analysis of the
9 current speed distribution of free-flowing vehicles;
10 provided further that the requirements of this
11 paragraph shall not apply when the department of
12 transportation or any county reduces a maximum speed
13 limit; and

14 (2) Any other factors prescribed by the Federal Highway
15 Administration's Manual on Uniform Traffic Control
16 Devices, as amended."

17 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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INTRODUCED BY: 



S.B. NO. 1056

Report Title:

Department of Transportation; Counties; Speed Limits; Reductions

Description:

Clarifies that the engineering study required prior to the setting of a maximum speed limit shall not apply to reductions of maximum speed limits.

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