A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO INVASIVE SPECIES.

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

- SECTION 1. Chapter 150A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 1
- amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated 2
- and to read as follows: 3
- "\$150A- Penalty; invasive species. Any person who 4
- knowingly sells invasive plants or plants containing invasive 5
- species shall be fined not more than \$10,000 for each separate 6
- 7 offense."
- SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored. 8
- 9 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Hawaii Plant Quarantine Law; Invasive Species; Penalty

Description:

Imposes a penalty for knowingly selling invasive plants or plants containing invasive species.

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