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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREARMS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 707, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§707- Brandishing a firearm. (1) A person commits the
5 offense of brandishing a firearm if the person:

6 (a) Indicates, by word or conduct, that the person is
7 carrying a firearm;

8 (b) Reveals or exhibits a firearm; or

9 (c) Draws or holds a firearm;

10 with the intent to terrorize, or in reckless disregard of the
11 risk of terrorizing, another person.

12 (2) Brandishing a firearm is a misdemeanor."

13 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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INTRODUCED BY: _____



S.B. NO. 685

Report Title:

Brandishing a Firearm; Misdemeanor

Description:

Establishes the misdemeanor offense of brandishing a firearm.

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