
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 291L-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted
3 and to read as follows:

4 "Reviewing entity" means a county police department or
5 authorized employee of the department of transportation or
6 department of law enforcement."

7 SECTION 2. Section 291L-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
8 amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:

9 "(c) Proof of a violation of section 291C-108 shall be
10 evidenced by information obtained from an automated speed
11 enforcement system authorized pursuant to this chapter. A
12 certificate, sworn to or affirmed by the reviewing [~~county~~
13 ~~police department,~~] entity, or a facsimile thereof, based upon
14 inspection of any clear and unobstructed photographs,
15 microphotographs, video, or other recorded images produced by
16 the system, shall be prima facie evidence of the facts contained
17 therein. Any photographs, microphotographs, video, or other



1 recorded images shall be available for inspection in any
2 proceeding to adjudicate the liability for that violation."

3 SECTION 3. Section 291L-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
4 amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows:

5 "(d) Before mailing the summons or citation for a traffic
6 infraction pursuant to subsection (a), the [~~applicable county~~
7 ~~police department~~] reviewing entity shall review and verify the
8 validity of the clear and unobstructed photographic, digital, or
9 other visual image of the license plate of the motor vehicle
10 required under this section."

11 SECTION 4. There is appropriated out of the general
12 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$ or so
13 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2025-2026 and
14 the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal
15 year 2026-2027 for the establishment and implementation of the
16 automated speed enforcement systems program.

17 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the department
18 of transportation for the purposes of this Act.

19 SECTION 5. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
20 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 6. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 3000.



Report Title:

Automated Speed Enforcement Systems; Violations; Evidence; DOT;
DLE; Appropriation

Description:

Allows authorized employees of the Department of Transportation and Department of Law Enforcement, in addition to county police departments, to perform certain actions in reviewing recorded images produced by automated speed enforcement systems. Appropriates funds to the Department of Transportation to establish and implement the Automated Speed Enforcement Systems Program. Effective 7/1/3000. (HD2)

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