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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A
TIRE INVENTORY DATABASE.

1 WHEREAS, the abandonment of motor vehicle tires on private
2 and public properties is prohibited, yet tires are still often
3 illegally dumped; and

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5 WHEREAS, abandoned motor vehicle tires can provide a
6 habitat for pests, be a fire hazard, and leach toxic chemicals
7 into the environment; and

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9 WHEREAS, the State lacks a coordinated effort between the
10 public and private spheres to track motor vehicle tires and hold
11 owners liable for illegal abandonment; and

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13 WHEREAS, the Legislature recognizes that tire dumping in
14 the State creates serious health and environmental concerns;
15 now, therefore,

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17 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third
18 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025, the
19 House of Representatives concurring, that the Department of
20 Health is requested to work in partnership with motor vehicle
21 tire retailers to collect information on purchased tires, and to
22 establish and maintain the information in a database for a
23 certain number of years; and

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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the information collected in
26 partnership with motor vehicle tire retailers include the model
27 and serial number of each motor vehicle tire sold, purchaser's
28 name, and date of the sale; and



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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this
2 Resolution be transmitted to the Department of Health.
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