

# A BILL FOR AN ACT

## RELATING TO TRANSPORTATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 291C, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to part XIII to be appropriately  
3 designated and to read as follows:

**"§291C- Electric bicycles; sales; operation;**

5 prohibited. (a) No person shall:

6        (1) Sell, offer for sale, lease, rent, or otherwise  
7        distribute, or possess a high-speed electric bicycle;



1        (1) Equipped with fully operable pedals and an electric  
2        motor that provides assistance only when the rider is  
3        pedaling; and  
4        (2) Capable of reaching speeds greater than twenty miles  
5        per hour with motor assistance."

6        SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
7        matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
8        begun before its effective date.

9        SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

10      SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY: 

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# H.B. NO. 1641

**Report Title:**

High-Speed Electric Bicycle; Sale; Operation; Prohibited

**Description:**

Prohibits the sale, offer for sale, lease, rental, distribution, possession, or operation of a high-speed electric bicycle. Establishes penalties.

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