

ACT 79

S.B. NO. 577

A Bill for an Act Relating to Noise Control.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. Part II of Chapter 291, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

"Sec. 291- Motor vehicle muffler. (a) No person shall use on a public highway, sell, alter or install a muffler which will noticeably increase the noise emitted by a motor vehicle above that emitted by the vehicle as equipped from the factory.

(b) Any violation of this section shall constitute a violation and shall be enforceable by police officers. The fine for this violation shall be not less than \$25 nor more than \$250 for each separate offense. Any person who violates the provisions of this section may be issued a summons or citation for such violation."

SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the underscoring.*

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

(Approved May 12, 1977.)

*Edited accordingly.