

ACT 78

S.B. NO. 2477-82

A Bill for an Act Relating to Motor Vehicle Repairs.

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

SECTION 1. Section 437B-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending the definition of "Repair of motor vehicles" to read as follows:

"(10) "Repair of motor vehicles" means all maintenance of, and modifica-
tions and repairs to motor vehicles, but excluding repairing tires, changing tires,
lubricating vehicles, installing light bulbs, batteries, windshield wiper blades, and
other minor accessories, cleaning, adjusting, and replacing spark plugs, replacing
fan belts, oil, and air filters, and other minor services, which the board by rule deter-
mines may be performed by persons without the skills and knowledge required of
motor vehicle mechanics and apprentices. No service shall be designated as minor,
for purposes of this section, if the board finds that performance of the service
requires mechanical expertise, has given rise to a high incidence of fraud or decep-
tive practices, or involves a part of the vehicle essential to its safe operation."

SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

(Approved May 14, 1982.)