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H.B. NO. 2685

A Bill for an Act Relating to Bail Jumping.

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

SECTION 1. Section 710-1024, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (1) to read as follows:

- "(1) A person commits the offense of bail jumping in the first degree if, having been released from custody by court order with or without bail, upon condition that the person will subsequently appear as ordered in connection with a charge of having committed a felony, the person [intentionally] knowingly fails to appear as ordered."
- SECTION 2. Section 710-1025, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (1) to read as follows:
 - "(1) A person commits the offense of bail jumping in the second degree if, having been released from custody by court order with or without bail, upon condition that the person will subsequently appear as ordered in connection with a charge of having committed a misdemeanor or a petty misdemeanor, the person [intentionally] knowingly fails to appear as ordered."
- SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were begun, before its effective date.
- SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval. (Approved April 23, 2004.)