
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES.

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

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

4 "§291C- Speed limits for trucks, truck-trailer
5 combinations; and tractor-semitrailer combinations. (a) No
6 person shall drive any of the following motor vehicles on any
7 interstate highway at a speed exceeding ten miles per hour less
8 than the maximum speed limit established for all other motor
9 vehicles by official signs placed by the director of
10 transportation on interstate highways under the director's
11 jurisdiction:

12 (1) A truck having three or more axles;

13 (2) A truck-trailer combination; and

14 (3) A tractor-semitrailer combination.

15 (b) The director of transportation shall place signs on
16 interstate highways under the director's jurisdiction
17 establishing maximum speed limits for vehicles enumerated in
18 subsection (a).



1 (c) For the purposes of this section, "interstate highway"
2 means interstate H-1, interstate H-2, interstate H-3, interstate
3 H-201, and route 78.

4 (d) Any person who violates subsection (a) by exceeding a
5 posted speed limit established under this section by fifteen
6 miles per hour or more shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and
7 shall be sentenced without the possibility of probation as
8 provided in section 291C-105.

9 (e) Any driver of a commercial motor vehicle holding a
10 commercial driver's license issued by this State who is
11 convicted of violating subsection (a) for excessive speeding
12 involving any single offense for any speed of fifteen miles per
13 hour or more above the posted speed limit shall be guilty of a
14 serious traffic violation, as defined in section 286-231.

15 (f) For the purposes of this section, "commercial motor
16 vehicle", "truck", "truck-trailer combination", and "tractor-
17 semitrailer combination" shall have the same meanings as those
18 terms are defined in section 286-2."

19 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
20 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
21 begun before its effective date.

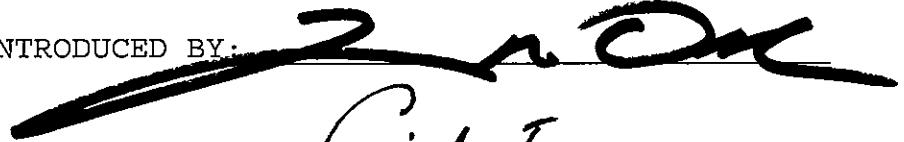
22 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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Report Title:

Motor Vehicles; Speed Limits; Trucks

Description:

Establishes maximum speed limits for trucks, truck-trailer combinations, and tractor-semitrailer combinations on interstate highways. Establishes penalties for violation.

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