

JAN 24 2007

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREWORKS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to impose a ban on
2 consumer fireworks except for religious or cultural purposes.

3 SECTION 2. Section 132D-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
4 amended to read as follows:

5 "**§132D-3 Permissible uses of consumer fireworks.** Consumer
6 fireworks may be set off, ignited, discharged, or otherwise
7 caused to explode within the State only[+]

8 ~~(1) From 9:00 p.m. on New Year's Eve to 1:00 a.m. on New
9 Year's Day; from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Chinese New
10 Year's Day; and from 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on the
11 Fourth of July; or~~

12 ~~(2) From 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. as allowed by permit
13 pursuant to section 132D-10 if the proposed cultural
14 use is to occur at any time other than during the
15 periods prescribed in paragraph (1);~~

16 ~~provided that the purchase of not more than five thousand
17 individual consumer fireworks commonly known as firecrackers
18 shall be allowed under each permit.] from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.~~



Report Title:

Fireworks; Ban; Cultural and Religious Exceptions

Description:

Bans consumer fireworks except for religious and cultural purposes.

