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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FIREWORKS.

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

1           SECTION 1. Section 132D-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3           "§132D-3 Permissible uses of consumer fireworks[-]; and  
4 prohibitions. (a) Consumer fireworks may be set off, ignited,  
5 discharged, or otherwise caused to explode within the State  
6 only:

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

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

15 provided that the purchase of not more than five thousand  
16 individual consumer fireworks commonly known as firecrackers  
17 shall be allowed under each permit.



1        (b) It shall be unlawful to sell or use non-aerial common  
2 fireworks on the Fourth of July in counties with populations  
3 over 500,000."

4        SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
5 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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**Report Title:**

Fireworks; Permissible Uses

**Description:**

Prohibits the purchase or use of consumer fireworks on the Fourth of July in counties with populations over 500,000.

