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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. The legislature finds that the display permit  
2 fee, which authorizes licensed pyrotechnicians to conduct  
3 outdoor and close proximity fireworks for theatrical purposes,  
4 has remained the same for thirteen years, but the cost to  
5 process, review, and approve those permits has increased. The  
6 legislature also finds that fees need to keep pace with these  
7 governmental administrative costs.

8           The purpose of this Act is to raise the fireworks display  
9 permit fee from \$110 to \$300.

10          SECTION 2. Section 132D-10, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
11 amended to read as follows:

12          "§132D-10 Permits. A permit shall be required for the  
13 purchase and use of:

14           (1) Any consumer fireworks commonly known as firecrackers  
15           upon payment of a fee of \$25;



1           (2) Any aerial devices, display fireworks, or articles  
 2           pyrotechnic for the purposes of section 132D-16 upon  
 3           payment of a fee of [~~\$1107~~] \$300; and

4           (3) Any consumer fireworks for the purposes of section  
 5           132D-5 or for cultural uses that occur at any time  
 6           other than during the periods prescribed in section  
 7           132D-3(1) upon a payment of a fee of \$25."

8           SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
 9 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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# S.B. NO. 2484

**Report Title:**

Fireworks; Display Fee

**Description:**

Raises the permit fee for aerial devices, display fireworks, or articles pyrotechnic.

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