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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HIGHWAY SAFETY.

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

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

4           "§291E-           Operating a vehicle while impaired. (a) A  
5 person commits the offense of operating a vehicle while impaired  
6 if the person operates or assumes actual physical control of a  
7 vehicle while having a blood alcohol content equal to or greater  
8 than .05 grams but less than .08 grams of alcohol per one  
9 hundred milliliters or cubic centimeters of blood.

10           (b) A person committing the offense of operating a vehicle  
11 while impaired shall be fined \_\_\_\_\_.

12           (c) The penalty established under this section shall be in  
13 addition to any other penalty established and imposed under this  
14 chapter."

15           SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
16 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
17 begun before its effective date.



1 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.

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

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INTRODUCED BY:





# S.B. NO. 365

**Report Title:**

Impaired Driving; Blood Alcohol Content; Prohibited; Penalties

**Description:**

Establishes the offense of operating a vehicle while impaired, and penalties.

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