
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC WORK PROJECTS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that under current law,
2 each investigation of a contractor that reveals violations of
3 the prevailing wage law contained in chapter 104, Hawaii Revised
4 Statutes, may result in a finding of only one violation even
5 though the contractor may have committed multiple or recurring
6 violations on multiple public work projects. The purpose of
7 this Act is to ensure that a separate violation of chapter 104,
8 Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be found for each separate
9 project for which the department of labor and industrial
10 relations finds that a contractor has failed to comply with the
11 law.

12 SECTION 2. Section 104-24, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
13 amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows:

14 "(d) A first, second, or third violation refers to each
15 [~~investigation involving one or more projects~~] project in which
16 the department finds that a contractor has failed to comply with
17 this chapter."



1 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
2 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
3 begun, before its effective date.

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed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

6 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Public Work Projects; Hours and Wages; Violations

Description:

Clarifies that a single violation of the prevailing wage law refers to each separate project where the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations finds a contractor in violation of chapter 104, HRS. (SD1)

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