
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 576D-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

3 "(a) Beginning October 1, 1998, each employer in the State
4 shall report to the agency within twenty days of hire the name,
5 address, [~~and~~] social security number, and the date on which
6 services for remuneration were first performed of each new
7 employee along with the name, federal identification number, and
8 address of the employer. Each report shall be made on a W-4
9 form or its equivalent, and may be transmitted by first class
10 mail, magnetically, or electronically. If an employer is
11 transmitting reports to the agency magnetically or
12 electronically, the report shall be transmitted twice monthly
13 not less than twelve days nor more than sixteen days apart. The
14 agency shall maintain these reports as the state directory of
15 new hires."

16 SECTION 2. Section 576E-17, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
17 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:



1 "(b) Upon receipt of the copy of the notice, or upon
2 request of the responsible parent pursuant to the order, the
3 employer or union shall transfer the notice to the appropriate
4 plan providing health care coverage for which the child is
5 eligible within twenty business days after the date of the
6 notice or enroll the dependent child as a beneficiary in the
7 group medical insurance plan and withhold any required premium
8 from the responsible parent's income. If more than one plan is
9 offered by the employer or union, the child shall be enrolled in
10 the plan in which the responsible parent is enrolled or the
11 least costly plan otherwise available to the responsible parent
12 that is comparable to the plan in which the responsible parent
13 is enrolled. An employer who has received a copy of the notice
14 shall inform the agency when the employment of the responsible
15 parent is terminated."

16 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
17 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

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

Report Title:

Child Support Enforcement

Description:

Includes the date that services for remuneration were first performed as information to be provided to the child support enforcement agency through the new hire reporting process. Requires employers or unions to provide the appropriate health plan provider a notice of medical support within a certain time frame. (SB2703 HD1)

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