



GOV. MSG. NO. 1175

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

June 20, 2016

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Souki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on June 20, 2016, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2009 HD1 SD1 CD1

RELATING TO HOISTING MACHINE
OPERATORS
ACT 074 (16)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Y. Ige".

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HOISTING MACHINE OPERATORS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 396-19, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

3 "(b) The hoisting machine operators advisory board may
4 employ a 0.5 full-time equivalent [~~executive director,~~] office
5 assistant, without regard to chapters 76 and 89 and may dismiss
6 such person as it finds necessary for the performance of its
7 function and duties. The board shall have the authority to fix
8 the [~~executive director's~~] office assistant's compensation."

9 SECTION 2. Section 396-20, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
10 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

11 "(b) The fund may be used for:

- 12 (1) Personnel and operating expenses, including
13 consultants as necessary, for [~~an executive director~~
14 ~~for~~] the hoisting machine operators advisory board;
- 15 (2) All necessary board costs and reimbursements;
- 16 (3) Preparation and dissemination of public information on
17 hoisting machine operators' certification and
18 training;



- 1 (4) Preparation of annual reports on certification program
- 2 activities and accomplishments and on the fund; and
- 3 (5) Any reimbursements to the state general fund for funds
- 4 appropriated by the legislature to establish the
- 5 revolving fund."

6 SECTION 3. No later than twenty days prior to the
7 convening of the regular session of 2017, the hoisting machine
8 operators advisory board shall submit to the legislature the
9 following information:

- 10 (1) A comprehensive description of current and pending
- 11 federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- 12 rules and regulations pertaining to hoisting machine
- 13 operators;
- 14 (2) Similarities and differences between state law and
- 15 federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- 16 rules and regulations, including federal rules and
- 17 regulations for state certification of hoisting
- 18 machine operators;
- 19 (3) Administration of the certification of hoisting
- 20 machine operators in other states;



1 (4) The existing fee structure for certification as a
2 hoisting machine operator in the State; and

3 (5) Recommended changes to existing certification
4 procedures for hoisting machine operators in the
5 State, based on the implementation of federal
6 Occupational Safety and Health Administration rules
7 and regulations.

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

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

APPROVED this 20 day of JUN, 2016



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

