



GOV. MSG. NO. 1166

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

JUN 17 2022

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

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

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

This is to inform you that on **JUN 17 2022**, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2274 SD2 HD1 CD1

RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING.
ACT 066

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE CENTER FOR NURSING.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that Act 198, Session
2 Laws of Hawaii 2003 (Act 198), established the Hawaii state
3 center for nursing to collect and analyze data and prepare and
4 disseminate written reports and recommendations regarding the
5 current and future status and trends of the nursing workforce;
6 conduct research on best practices and quality outcomes; develop
7 a plan for implementing strategies to recruit and retain nurses;
8 and research, analyze, and report data related to the retention
9 of the nursing workforce. Act 198 also requires nurses to fund
10 the activities of the Hawaii state center for nursing through an
11 additional fee assessed upon the issuance and renewal of each
12 nurse license.

13 The purpose of this Act is to increase the center for
14 nursing fee from \$40 to \$60 per licensing biennium.

15 SECTION 2. Section 457-9.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
16 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

17 "[+] (a) [+]" Upon the issuance of a new license and at each
18 license renewal period, each nurse shall pay an additional fee



1 of [~~\$407~~] \$60, which shall be deposited in a separate account in
2 the compliance resolution fund established pursuant to section
3 26-9(o)."

4 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
5 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

6 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.



S.B. NO. 2274
S.D. 2
H.D. 1
C.D. 1

APPROVED this 17 day of June, 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Ige". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.


GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I

Date: May 3, 2022
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2022.


President of the Senate


Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 2274, SD 2, HD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 3, 2022
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.



Scott K. Saiki
Speaker
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives