
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CONTRACTORS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to specify that half
2 of the electrical and plumbing workers employed by an electrical
3 or plumbing contractor on a construction job site shall be
4 licensed in accordance with chapter 448E, rather than half of
5 all craftsmen requiring licenses.

6 SECTION 2. Section 444-9.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
7 amended to read as follows:

8 "[+]§444-9.5[+] **Licensing of craftsmen.** At least half of
9 all [~~craftsmen requiring licenses~~] individuals performing
10 electrical or plumbing work requiring licenses under chapter
11 448E employed on a construction [~~project~~] job site by [~~a~~
12 ~~specialty~~] an electrical or plumbing contractor [~~in the trade in~~
13 ~~which the craftsman is licensed~~] shall be licensed in accordance
14 with [~~and to the extent required by~~] chapter 448E. The board
15 may waive this requirement in any county when there are
16 insufficient licensed [~~craftsmen~~] electrical or plumbing workers
17 in that county to comply herewith."



1 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
2 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

3 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

SB2913, SD1

Report Title:

Contractors; Licensing of Craftsmen

Description:

Clarifying extent to which an electrical or plumbing contractor must hire licensed electrical and plumbing workers on a construction job site. (SD1)

