

## GOV. MSG. NO **900**

## EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

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LINDA LINGLE GOVERNOR

June 6, 2007

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa, President and Members of the Senate Twenty-Fourth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Madam President and Members of the Senate:

This is to inform you that on June 6, 2007, the following bill was signed into law:

SB1929 SD2 HD2 CD1

A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROCUREMENT. (ACT 142)

Sincerely,

LINDA LINGLE

Approved by the Governor on JUN 6 2007

THE SENATE TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE, 2007 STATE OF HAWAII ACT 142 S.B. NO. 5.D. 2 H.D. 2 C.D. 1

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC PROCUREMENT.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 103D-106, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended to read as follows:
3	"[f]§103D-106[f] Penalties. (a) Any person who
4	intentionally violates this chapter or any rules adopted
5	pursuant to this chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor[, and
6	in addition to the applicable criminal penalty, shall be subject
7	to removal from office] and shall be [liable]:
8	(1) Subject to removal from office;
9	(2) <u>Liable</u> to the State or the appropriate county for any
10	sum paid by it in connection with the violation, and
11	that sum, together with interest and costs, shall be
12	recoverable by the State or county[-]; and
13	(3) Subject to imposition of an administrative fine under
14	subsection (b).
15	(b) After reasonable notice and reasonable opportunity to
16	be heard, the chief procurement officer, after consultation with

the using agency and the attorney general or corporation

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1	counsel, as applicable, may render a written decision or issue a
2	written order providing for the assessment of an administrative
3	fine against a person found to have violated this chapter;
4	provided that:
5	(1) The amount of the fine shall be set out in rules
6	adopted by the policy board pursuant to section 103D-
7	202; and
8	(2) The written decision or order shall be final and
9	conclusive, subject to an administrative review under
10	section 103D-709."
11	SECTION 2. Section 103D-709, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
12	amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
13	"(a) The several hearings officers appointed by the
14	director of the department of commerce and consumer affairs
15	pursuant to section 26-9(f) shall have jurisdiction to review
16	and determine de novo, any request from any bidder, offeror,
17	contractor, person aggrieved under section 103D-106, or
18	governmental body aggrieved by a determination of the chief
19	procurement officer, head of a purchasing agency, or a designee
20	of either officer under [sections] section 103D-310, 103D-701,
21	or 103D-702."

- 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.

**GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII**