## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DENTAL HYGIENISTS.

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

SECTION 1. Section 447-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (f) to read as follows: "(f) No person shall practice dental hygiene, either

gratuitously or for pay, or shall offer or attempt so to

- 5 practice, or shall advertise or announce publicly or privately
- 6 as being prepared or qualified so to practice without having a
- 7 license as provided in this section. The license certificate
- 8 and annual registration certificate shall be displayed in the
- 9 office in which the dental hygienist is employed or practices.
- 10 A licensed dental hygienist shall practice only under the
- 11 supervision of a licensed dentist as provided in this chapter;
- 12 provided that a licensed dental hygienist shall administer under
- 13 the direct supervision of a licensed dentist only those
- 14 categories of intra-oral block anesthesia listed in the course
- 15 content submitted to the board pursuant to subsection (a)."
- 16 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.
- 17 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

## Report Title:

Dental Hygienists; Display of License and Certificate

## Description:

Requires a dental hygienist license certificate and annual registration certificate to be displayed in the office in which the dental hygienist is employed or practices. (HB1876 HD1)

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