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June 21, 2013 **GOV. MSG. NO. 1255**

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim,  
President  
and Members of the Senate  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki,  
Speaker and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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

This is to inform you that on June 21, 2013, the following bill was signed into law:

SB1118 SD1 HD1 CD1

RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING  
AUTHORITY  
**ACT 152 (13)**

*Neil Abercrombie*  
Signers

NEIL ABERCROMBIE  
Governor, State of Hawaii

# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE HAWAII PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 356D-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

3 "(b) The authority shall employ, exempt from chapter 76  
4 and section 26-35(a)(4), an executive director [and], an  
5 executive assistant [~~. The executive director shall be paid a  
6 salary not to exceed eighty five per cent of the salary of the  
7 director of human resources development. The executive  
8 assistant shall be paid a salary not to exceed ninety per cent  
9 of the executive director's salary.~~], a chief financial  
10 management advisor, a property management branch chief, a chief  
11 planner, and a redevelopment officer, whose salaries shall be  
12 set by the board established under section 356D-3; provided that  
13 no salary shall exceed the governor's salary. The authority may  
14 employ, subject to chapter 76, technical experts and officers,  
15 agents, and employees, permanent or temporary, as required. The  
16 authority may also employ officers, agents, and employees;  
17 prescribe their duties and qualifications; and fix their  
18 salaries, not subject to chapter 76, when in the determination

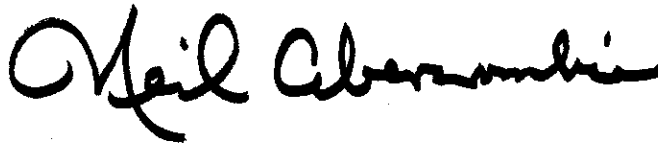


1 of the authority, the services to be performed are unique and  
2 essential to the execution of the functions of the authority;  
3 provided that if the authority hires an officer, agent, or  
4 employee in a capacity not subject to chapter 76, the authority  
5 shall include in an annual report to the legislature, to be  
6 submitted not later than twenty days prior to the convening of  
7 each regular session, the position descriptions and reasons for  
8 hiring the personnel in a civil service exempt capacity. The  
9 authority may call upon the attorney general for legal services  
10 as it may require. The authority may delegate to one or more of  
11 its agents or employees the powers and duties it deems proper."

12 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
13 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED this 21 day of JUN, 2013



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII