

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 386-80, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 "§386-80 Examination by impartial physician. The director
4 of labor and industrial relations may appoint a duly qualified
5 impartial physician, whose specialty is appropriate for the
6 injury being examined, to examine the injured employee and to
7 report. The fees for such examination shall be paid from the
8 funds appropriated by the legislature for the use of the
9 department of labor and industrial relations."

10 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.
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Report Title:

Workers' Compensation; Impartial Physician; Exam

Description:

Requires that a workers' compensation impartial exam be conducted by a doctor whose specialty is appropriate for the injury to be examined.

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