



GOV. MSG. NO. 1355

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS
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DAVID Y. IGE
GOVERNOR

July 12, 2016

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Joseph M. Souki,
Speaker and Members of the
House of Representatives
Twenty-Eighth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

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

This is to inform you that on July 12, 2016, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2008 HD2 SD2 CD1

RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT
ACT 246 (16)

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 76, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to
3 read as follows:

4 "§76- Temporary employment in state positions. (a) No
5 department or agency of the State shall temporarily employ the
6 same person in the same position that is wholly funded by
7 general funds for more than two terms of eighty-nine days;
8 provided that with the approval of the governor, a department or
9 agency of the State may temporarily employ the same person in
10 the same position for eight terms of eighty-nine days within a
11 consecutive twenty-four-month period.

12 (b) This section shall not apply to periods of temporary
13 employment when a person has been appointed to a vacant position
14 arising as a result of:

- 15 (1) A workers' compensation claim;
- 16 (2) Medical leave;
- 17 (3) An on-going investigation;
- 18 (4) A shortage category;



- 1 (5) A working condition differential;
- 2 (6) A remote geographical location;
- 3 (7) A seasonal demand for employees;
- 4 (8) A leave of absence taken by an incumbent who has
5 return rights;
- 6 (9) A need to fill a department of education position for
7 the delivery of special education services; or
- 8 (10) A position pending reorganization.

9 (c) This section shall not apply to the counties."

10 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2016.

APPROVED this 12 day of JUL , 2016



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

