A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 103D-324, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

"(a) Unless the policy board determines otherwise by rules, the following bonds or security shall be delivered to the purchasing agency and shall become binding on the parties upon the execution of the contract if the contract which is awarded exceeds \$25,000 and is for construction, or the purchasing agency secures the approval of the chief procurement officer:

of the policy board, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in this State or otherwise secured in a manner satisfactory to the purchasing agency, for the protection of all persons supplying labor and material to the contractor for the performance of the work provided for in the contract, in an amount equal to one hundred per cent of the price specified in the contract; provided that:

1		(A)	The surety company shall be independent from any
2			of the parties of the awarded bid, which shall
3			include any individuals or companies involved
4			with the awarded bid; and
5		<u>(B)</u>	No surety company or bond company can be revoked
6			or dismissed until ninety days after completion
7			of the project and all claims, torts, and liens
8			have been settled;
9	(2)	A payment bond in a form prescribed by the rules of	
10		the policy board, executed by a surety company	
11		auth	orized to do business in this State or otherwise
12		secured in a manner satisfactory to the purchasing	
13		agen	cy, for the protection of all persons supplying
14		labo	r and material to the contractor for the
15		perf	ormance of the work provided for in the contract.
16		The	bond shall be in an amount equal to one hundred
17		per	cent of the price specified in the contract; or
18	(3)	A pe	rformance and payment bond which satisfies all of
19		the	requirements of paragraphs (1) and (2).
20	No payment bond shall be released or have its obligations		
21	terminated by the purchasing agency until ninety days after the		

- 1 day on which the last labor was done or performed or material
- 2 furnished or supplied, and all claims and liens for payment of
- 3 the obligations for which the payment bond has been furnished
- 4 have been adjudicated or settled."
- 5 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that
- 6 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were
- 7 begun before its effective date.
- 8 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 9 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

Report Title:

Procurement Code; Performance Bonds

Description:

Establishes additional performance bond requirements for surety companies and bond companies under the Hawaii Public Procurement Code. Establishes conditions for releasing or terminating the obligations of a payment bond. (HB1415 HD2)

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