

May 29, 2025

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate, and Members of the Senate Thirty-Third State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813 The Honorable Nadine Nakamura Speaker, and Members of the House of Representatives Thirty-Third State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Aloha President Kouchi, Speaker Nakamura, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on May 29, 2025, the following bill was signed into law:

H.B. NO. 1439, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1 MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS.

ACT 127

Mahalo,

Josh Green, M.D.

Governor, State of Hawai'i

oh Green M.D.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE, 2025 STATE OF HAWAII ACT 127 H.B. NO. H.D. 1 S.D. 1

A BILL FOR AN ACT

PART I

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT COST ITEMS.

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

| 2 | SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the general revenues |
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| 3 | of the State of Hawaii to the senate, house of representatives, |
| 4 | and legislative agencies indicated below, the following sums or |
| 5 | so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal biennium |
| 6 | 2025-2027, to fund Hawaii employer-union health benefits trust |
| 7 | fund costs and other cost adjustments authorized by chapter 89C, |

8 Hawaii Revised Statutes, for legislative officers and employees

9 excluded from collective bargaining:

| 10 | | FY 2025-2026 | FY 2026-2027 |
|----|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 11 | State ethics commission | \$64,679 | \$80,087 |
| 12 | Office of the auditor | \$159,636 | \$219,447 |
| 13 | Office of the legislative | | |
| 14 | reference bureau | \$161,009 | \$231,876 |
| 15 | Office of the ombudsman | \$93,860 | \$90,489 |
| 16 | Senate | \$317,725 | \$673,818 |
| 17 | House of representatives | \$346,685 | \$735,235 |



- 1 SECTION 2. Funds appropriated by this part shall be
- 2 allotted to the head of the respective chamber or legislative
- 3 agency for expenditure for the purposes of this part.
- 4 PART II
- 5 SECTION 3. Cost items and cost adjustments provided in
- 6 this Act for any legislative officer or employee whose
- 7 compensation is paid, in whole or in part, from federal,
- 8 special, or other funds shall be paid wholly or proportionately,
- 9 as the case may be, from the respective funds.
- 10 SECTION 4. Funds appropriated by this Act that are not
- 11 expended or encumbered by the end of the fiscal year for which
- 12 the appropriation is made shall lapse as of those dates.
- SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2025.

H.B. NO. H.D. 1 S.D. 1 C.D. 1

APPROVED this 29th day of May , 2025

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

HB No. 1439, HD 1, SD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 30, 2025 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025.

Nadine K. Nakamura

Speaker

House of Representatives

Madeie K. Mahm

Brian L. Takeshita

W. L. Ille

Chief Clerk

House of Representatives

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

Date: April 30, 2025 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-Third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2025.

resident of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate