

ACT 139

S. B. 451.

A Bill for an Act Relating to Computation of Average Weekly Wages for Workmen's Compensation Purposes.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. The first paragraph of section 97-50, Revised Laws of 1955, is amended to read as follows:

"Average weekly wages shall be computed in such a manner that the resulting amount represents most fairly, in the light of his employment pattern and the duration of his disability, the injured employee's average weekly wages from all covered employment at the time of the personal injury. In

no event, however, shall an employee's average weekly wages be computed to be less than his hourly rate of pay multiplied by thirty-five."

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval and shall apply to claims for compensation for injuries sustained after such effective date.

(Approved May 29, 1967.)