**ACT 52** 

S. B. 477.

A Bill for an Act Amending Section 3-23 and Section 3-25, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, as Amended, Relating to Suspensions and Appeals from Suspensions, Dismissals and Demotions.

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

SECTION 1. The second paragraph of section 3-23, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, is hereby amended to read:

"An employee who is suspended for a period not in excess of four working days, whether consecutively or not, shall be entitled to a written notice from the appointing authority setting forth the specific reasons upon

which the suspension is based. Such written notice shall be given to the employee or mailed to him within forty-eight hours after such suspension. A copy of such statement shall be filed with the director."

SECTION 2. The first sentence of the first paragraph of section 3-25, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, is hereby amended to read:

"Any regular employee who is suspended, dismissed or demoted may appeal to the commission within twenty days after notice has been sent to him of the suspension, dismissal or demotion, provided that such twenty-day period shall be extended to twenty days from the final notice on his grievance should he exercise the grievance channel."

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval. (Approved May 11, 1967.)