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H. B. 536.

**A Bill for an Act Relating to Service on Public Boards and Commissions
by Public Officers and Employees.**

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 5, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately numbered and to read as follows:

“Sec. 5-..... Public officer or employee serving on state or county board or commission. (a) Any prohibition in any law against the holding of outside employment or dual public office, employment, or position by a state or county officer or employee shall not bar the appointment of a state officer or employee to membership on a county commission or board, nor bar the appointment of a county officer or employee to membership on a state commission or board; unless service on the commission or board would be inconsistent or incompatible with or would tend to interfere with the duties and responsibilities of the other office, employment or position held by the officer or employee.

(b) The foregoing provision shall not be construed to permit a state or county officer or employee to serve as a member of any civil service commission nor to permit him to receive compensation, other than expenses, as a member of any board or commission.

(c) When any state or county officer or employee must be away from his regular state or county work because of service as a member on a state or county board or commission, he shall not, as a result of the absence, suffer any loss of his regular salary or wages.

The time spent in service as a board or commission member shall not be credited as time worked for purposes of overtime compensation.”

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 15, 1967.)