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H. B. NO. 385

A Bill for an Act Relating to Employees of the Department of Land and Natural Resources.

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

SECTION 1. Section 171-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

“Section 171-8 State ranger, district ranger, land agents and other employees. The board of land and natural resources shall appoint a state ranger of all public lands, whose duties shall be to examine and inspect the public lands and to observe and determine whether this chapter and patents,

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leases, deeds, licenses, agreements, or other instruments in respect to the public lands are being complied with by tenants, lessees, licensees, grantees, or other persons occupying or possessing the public lands. The state ranger shall report to the designated representative of the board and otherwise discharge the duties in respect to public lands as such designated representative may require.

The board shall be represented in each land district by one or more district rangers and by a land agent. The board may employ other necessary employees.

The duties of the district rangers, in addition to other duties which may be assigned by the board, shall be to observe and see that this chapter is complied with in their respective districts.

The land agent shall exercise the powers and duties delegated to him by the board and shall report to the designated representative of the board.

The appointment, removal, and compensation of state ranger, district rangers, land agents, and other employees shall be determined in accordance with chapters 76 and 77.

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes may exclude the brackets, the bracketed material or the underscoring.*

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 30, 1971.)

* Edited accordingly.