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H. B. NO. 122

A Bill for an Act Relating to Inventory of State and County Property.

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

SECTION 1. Section 106-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

“Sec. 106-1 By state officers. The lieutenant governor, the heads of the executive departments, the administrative director of the courts (for the whole judiciary department of the State), and all other persons and boards of a public character having in their custody or under their control or in anywise using property belonging to the State (which latter persons and boards are not by law under the control and direction of any of the departments or heads of departments herein specifically named) shall, on or before September 15 of each year, prepare and file with the comptroller of the State, a return or inventory, sworn to before a person authorized by law to administer oaths, containing a full, true, and corrected list by detailed items of all property, of whatsoever nature (as of July 1 of the year for which such return is made), belonging to the State and in the possession, custody, control, or use of the officer so making the return or of the department of the government over which he presides or of any officer, agent, or employee serving in such department or under the returning officer, and containing further opposite each item a statement of the carrying value of the property therein named according to the best knowledge, information, and belief of the officer making the return. The officer making the return shall similarly file a copy of the sworn inventory with the comptroller, accompanied, however, by detailed separate statements, under oath, of those items of property acquired, and those disposed of, during the year elapsed since the inventory made as of the last preceding July 1.”

SECTION 2. Section 106-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 106-2 By county mayors to state comptroller. The mayors of each county shall, on or before September 15 of each year, prepare and file with the comptroller of the State a return or inventory, sworn to before a person authorized by law to administer oaths, containing a full, true, and correct list by detailed items of all property of whatsoever nature, as of July 1 of the year for which such return is made, of all property belonging to the State and in

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the use, custody, or possession for the time being of the county or city and county or any of the officers thereof, and containing further, opposite each item, a statement of the carrying value of the property therein named according to the best knowledge, information, and belief of the officer making the return.”

SECTION 3. Section 106-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“**Sec. 106-4 Authority to withhold salary.** The comptroller of the State and the director of finance of each county shall ascertain if inventories have been filed as required by sections 106-1 and 106-3, respectively. If any officer, head of department, agent, employee, or other person fails to file the required inventory within the time prescribed, the comptroller or director shall withhold the salary or wage due such officer, head of department, agent, employee, or other person until the inventory is filed unless the comptroller or director finds, in his discretion, that the delay in filing the required inventory within the time prescribed was for good cause.”

SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the brackets, the bracketed material or the underscoring.*

SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved March 15, 1973)

*Edited accordingly.