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H. B. NO. 137

A Bill for an Act Relating to Payment of Wages.

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

SECTION 1. Section 388-11(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

“(b) Except for claims filed by individuals employed in a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional capacity or in the capacity of an outside

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salesman, whenever the director of labor and industrial relations determines that wages have not been paid, and that the unpaid wages constitute an enforceable claim, the director may upon the request of the employee take an assignment in trust for the wages without being bound by any of the technical rules respecting validity of any such assignments and may bring any legal action necessary to collect such claim. With the consent of the assigning employee at the time of the assignment the director may settle and adjust any such claim to the same extent as might the assigning employee. No claim shall be accepted by the director after the expiration of one year from the date the wages are due and payable.”

SECTION 2. Material to be repealed is bracketed.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 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved April 9, 1973.)

*Edited accordingly.