

ACT 158

S.B. NO. 2715-76

A Bill for an Act Relating to Stadium Authority.

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

SECTION 1. Section 109-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**“Sec. 109-2 Stadium authority; powers and duties.** The powers and duties of the stadium authority shall be as follows:

(1) To maintain, operate and manage the stadium and related facilities.

- (2) To prescribe and collect rents, fees and charges for the use or enjoyment of the stadium or any of its facilities.
- (3) To make and execute contracts and other instruments necessary or convenient to exercise its powers under this chapter and subject to any limitations in this chapter, to exercise all powers necessary, incidental or convenient to carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of this chapter.
- (4) To make, amend and repeal in accordance with chapter 91 such rules and regulations as it may deem necessary.
- (5) To appoint a manager and a deputy manager who shall have such qualifications as the authority deems necessary and who shall hold their respective offices at the pleasure of the authority. The manager and deputy manager shall be exempt from the requirements of chapters 76 and 77 and shall receive such salary as the authority may provide; except that the manager's salary shall not exceed the maximum salary provided for department heads of the State and the deputy manager's salary shall not be more than ninety percent of the manager's salary. The manager shall have full power to administer the affairs of the stadium and related facilities, subject to the direction and approval of the authority. The manager shall, subject to the approval of the authority, have power to appoint, suspend and discharge such other employees, subordinates and assistants as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the authority. Except for persons hired on contract or otherwise as provided in section 109-3 and except for the manager and deputy manager, all appointments, suspensions or discharges shall be made in conformity with the applicable provisions of chapters 76 and 77."

SECTION 2. All full-time employees currently not in civil service shall be converted to civil service status within the meaning of chapters 76 and 77 without the necessity of examination and shall be accorded all the rights, benefits and privileges attributable thereto. Such rights and privileges shall include seniority, prior service credit, vacation and sick leave credits, and other benefits and privileges accorded employees with civil service status. Positions held by such employees shall be allocated to the appropriate classes in the position classification plan and employees affected shall continue to receive at least the same rates of pay despite the change in status, provided that subsequent changes in position classification and pay may be made pursuant to applicable personnel laws.

SECTION 3. 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 4. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 1977.

(Approved May 27, 1976.)

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\*Edited accordingly.