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H.B. NO. 276

A Bill for an Act Relating to Insurance.

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

SECTION 1. Section 431-59, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**“§431-59 Examination expense.** (a) Examinations of any insurer coming under this chapter made by the insurance commissioner or his examiners and employees shall, including fees, mileage, [and expense incurred as to witnesses,] and other related expenses, be at the expense of the insurer examined.

(b) The insurer examined and liable therefor shall pay to the [commissioner’s examiners] commissioner upon presentation of an itemized statement

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thereof, [their] the actual travel expenses, [their] reasonable living expense allowance, [and their] per diem compensation at a reasonable rate approved by the commissioner, and other related expenses incurred by the commissioner or his examiners and employees on account of the examination. All payments collected by the commissioner shall be remitted to the director of finance and shall be placed to the credit of the general fund of the State. The commissioner or his examiners shall not receive or accept any additional emolument on account of any examination.”

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored.

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

(Approved April 14, 1983.)