

**ACT 255**

**H.B. NO. 239**

**A Bill for an Act Relating to Boards.**

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

SECTION 1. Section 442-4, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§442-4 **Election of officers; quorum; records; report.** The board of chiropractic examiners shall elect a [president] chairman and a [vice-president] vice-chairman from the members of the board. Elections of officers shall occur annually at the January meeting of the board. A majority of the board shall constitute a quorum.

The affirmative vote of a majority of the board is required to carry any motion or resolution, to adopt any rule, or to issue any license provided for in this chapter. The executive secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the board, which shall at all times during business hours be open to the public for inspection.”

SECTION 2. Section 448-6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

“(a) The board of dental examiners shall elect one of its members [president] chairman and another as [vice-president.] vice-chairman.”

SECTION 3. Section 448-13, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§448-13 **Certificate, evidence.** All certificates of license issued by the board of dental examiners shall be signed by the [president,] chairman, sealed, and shall be presumptive evidence of the right of the holder to practice dentistry. No person shall practice dentistry without first having procured such a certificate, except as provided in this chapter. Any person practicing dentistry and not having at the time a valid and uncanceled license shall be guilty of a failure to comply with this chapter and shall be punished as in this chapter provided.”

SECTION 4. Section 455-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§455-5 **Organization of the board.** The board of examiners in naturopathy may elect a [president, a vice-president, and a secretary] chairman and a vice-chairman who shall each serve one year or until a successor is elected. The board may make such rules as it deems expedient to carry this chapter into effect. Two members of the board constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The board shall serve without pay[,]; provided[,], that the expenses of conducting examinations shall be paid out of the office expenses of the department of commerce and consumer affairs upon vouchers signed by a majority of the board.”

SECTION 5. Section 457-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

“(a) The board shall hold meetings as it deems necessary. The board shall have a [president and a secretary-treasurer] chairman and a vice-chairman, who shall be elected annually from its members.”

SECTION 6. Section 458-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§458-3 **Organization; meetings, records.** The board of dispensing opticians shall annually elect from its members a [president, secretary, and treasurer.] chairman and a vice-chairman. The board shall keep a complete record of its proceedings. The board, subject to chapter 91 and with the

approval of the governor and the director of commerce and consumer affairs may make, amend, and repeal rules for the administration of this chapter.”

**SECTION 7.** Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

**SECTION 8.** This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved June 5, 1985.)