

ACT 251

S.B. NO. 1907

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act.

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

SECTION 1. Section 351-70, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§351-70 Annual report. The criminal injuries compensation commission shall transmit annually to the governor and to the director of [finance,] corrections, at least thirty days prior to the convening of the legislature a report of its activities under this chapter including a brief description of the facts in each case, and the amount, if any, of compensation awarded, and the names of attorneys and health care providers where they are the applicants. The director of [finance] corrections shall, within five days after the opening of the legislative session, transmit the report, together with a tabulation of the total amount of compensation awarded[,] during the prior fiscal year and an estimate of the amount that is reasonably estimated to be required for the next fiscal year, and a legislative bill [appropriating] to appropriate funds [necessary to replenish] for the criminal injuries compensation fund for the [compensation awarded.] next fiscal year. The criminal injuries compensation commission shall provide upon request of the governor, the director of [finance,] corrections, or the legislature, the relevant data, including the names of all applicants for compensation, under this chapter.”

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding the provisions set forth in Section 1, the criminal injuries compensation commission shall transmit to the governor and to the director of corrections, at least thirty days prior to the convening of the Regular Session of 1990, Fifteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, a report of its activities under this chapter for the period from January 1, 1989 to December 31, 1989, including a brief description of the facts in each case, and the amount, if any, of compensation awarded, and the names of attorneys and health care providers where they are the applicants. The director of corrections shall, within five days after the opening of the Regular Session of 1990, Fifteenth Legislature, State of Hawaii, transmit the report, together with the following: (1) a tabulation of the total amount of compensation awarded during the period from January 1, 1989 to December 31, 1989, and the amount that is reasonably estimated to be required (a) for the period from January 1, 1990 to June 30, 1990 and (b) for the next fiscal year starting July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1991, along with (2) a legislative bill to (a) appropriate funds necessary to replenish the criminal injuries compensation fund for the period from January 1, 1989 to December 31, 1989, and to (b) appropriate funds for the criminal injuries compensation fund for the period from January 1, 1990 to June 30, 1990 and for the next fiscal year starting July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1991. The criminal injuries compensation commission shall provide upon request of the governor, the director of corrections, or the legislature, the relevant data, including the names of all applicants for compensation, under this chapter.

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved June 8, 1989.)