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S.B. NO. 976

A Bill for an Act Relating to Hours of Work.

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

SECTION 1. Section 80-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§80-1 Office hours. Offices of the State and counties, and independent boards and commissions thereof, shall be open for the transaction of public business

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between the hours of 7:45 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, inclusive. By executive order[,], or directive, the [governor] chief executive of the State or of any county may modify the hours [of business offices, other agencies, and schools]¹ and days for the transaction of public business in their respective jurisdictions [in order] to meet a demonstrated need for public services, [to] provide for the efficient operation of business, [to] encourage energy conservation, and [to] reduce traffic congestion. [Offices shall be closed on Saturday, except those which public convenience require shall remain open from 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday. Offices open on Saturday may be staffed with a skeleton force.] A lunch period of forty-five minutes will be allowed all governmental personnel, which shall not constitute working time under this section.”

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

(Approved June 16, 1989.)

Note

1. So in original.