

A Bill for an Act Relating to Examination Consultants.

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

SECTION 1. Section 76-15, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§76-15 Examination consultants. The director of human resources development may select officers or employees in the state service or any individual to act as volunteer subject-matter consultants in the preparation and rating of applications and examinations. Notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 92F, the identity of any volunteer subject matter consultant, and any information which would result in actual identification of any volunteer subject matter consultant, are confidential and shall not be disclosed, unless deemed appropriate by the director. An appointing authority may excuse any officer or employee in the appointing authority’s department from the officer’s or employee’s regular duties for the time required for the officer’s or employee’s work as a volunteer subject-matter consultant.

Officers and employees shall not be entitled to extra pay for services as volunteer consultants but shall be entitled to reimbursement for necessary traveling and other expenses.”

SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

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

(Approved April 22, 1996.)