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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL LICENSE FEE RENEWALS.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 78, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended  
2 by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to  
3 read as follows:

4           "§78-       Professional licenses; renewal; fees.

5 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, each employer shall pay  
6 any fee required for the renewal of any professional license  
7 held by an employee of that employer; provided that the employer  
8 shall only be responsible for paying the renewal fee for a  
9 professional license that is necessary for the employee to carry  
10 out the employee's duties; provided further that nothing in this  
11 section shall be construed as requiring an employer to pay for  
12 an employee's initial professional license fee."

13           SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
14 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
15 begun before its effective date.

16           SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.



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

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INTRODUCED BY: 



# S.B. NO. 1052

**Report Title:**

Public Employment; Professional Licenses; Renewal; Fees

**Description:**

Requires each public employer to pay for the employer's employees' professional license renewal fees.

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