



GOV. MSG. NO. 1263

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
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NEIL ABERCROMBIE  
GOVERNOR

June 23, 2011

The Honorable Shan Tsutsui, President  
and Members of the Senate  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Calvin Say, Speaker  
and Members of the House  
Twenty-Sixth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Tsutsui, Speaker Say and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on June 23, 2011, the following bill was signed into law:

HB1434 HD2 SD1

RELATING TO PUBLIC WORK PROJECTS.  
Act 160 (11)

*Aloha*  
Sincerely,  
*Neil Abercrombie*  
NEIL ABERCROMBIE  
Governor, State of Hawaii

Approved by the Governor

on JUN 23 2011

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE, 2011  
STATE OF HAWAII

ACT 160  
H.B. NO.

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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC WORK PROJECTS.

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

1 SECTION 1. The legislature finds that under current law,  
2 each investigation of a contractor that reveals violations of  
3 the prevailing wage law contained in chapter 104, Hawaii Revised  
4 Statutes, may result in a finding of only one violation even  
5 though the contractor may have committed multiple or recurring  
6 violations on multiple public work projects. The purpose of  
7 this Act is to ensure that a separate violation of chapter 104,  
8 Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall be found for each separate  
9 project for which the department of labor and industrial  
10 relations finds that a contractor has failed to comply with the  
11 law.

12 SECTION 2. Section 104-24, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
13 amended by amending subsection (d) to read as follows:

14 "(d) A first, second, or third violation refers to each  
15 [~~investigation involving one or more projects~~] project in which  
16 the department finds that a contractor has failed to comply with  
17 this chapter."



1 SECTION 3. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
2 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
3 begun, before its effective date.

4 SECTION 4. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  
5 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

6 SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.  
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APPROVED this 23 day of JUN , 2011



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

