A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING.

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

1	SECTION 1. Section 356D-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:
3	"(b) The authority shall employ, exempt from chapter 76
4	and section 26-35(a)(4), an executive director and an executive
5	assistant. The executive director shall be paid a salary [not
6	to exceed eighty-five per cent of the salary of the director of
7	human resources development.] that is determined by the board,
8	considering, among other factors, compensation provided to state
9	public housing authority executive directors with comparable
10	duties and responsibilities, to comparable state and local
11	officials, and to comparable private sector executives. The
12	executive assistant shall be paid a salary not to exceed ninety
13	per cent of the executive director's salary. The authority may
14	employ, subject to chapter 76, technical experts and officers,
15	agents, and employees, permanent or temporary, as required. The
16	authority may also employ officers, agents, and employees;
17	prescribe their duties and qualifications; and fix their
18	salaries, not subject to chapter 76, when in the determination

- $1\,$ of the authority, the services to be performed are unique and
- 2 essential to the execution of the functions of the authority;
- 3 provided that if the authority hires an officer, agent, or
- 4 employee in a capacity not subject to chapter 76, the authority
- 5 shall include in an annual report to the legislature, to be
- 6 submitted not later than twenty days prior to the convening of
- 7 each regular session, the position descriptions and reasons for
- 8 hiring the personnel in a civil service exempt capacity. The
- 9 authority may call upon the attorney general for legal services
- 10 as it may require. The authority may delegate to one or more of
- 11 its agents or employees the powers and duties it deems proper."
- 12 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 13 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- 14 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Report Title:

Public Housing; Hawaii Public Housing Authority; Executive Director Compensation

Description:

Authorizes the board of directors of the Hawaii public housing authority to set the executive director's compensation based on a comparability analysis, and other factors. (SD1)

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