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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO FAMILY LEAVE.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 398-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended by adding a new definition to be appropriately inserted
- 3 and to read as follows:
- 4 ""Sibling" means one of two or more individuals having at
- 5 least one parent in common whether biologically or by adoption."
- 6 SECTION 2. Section 398-3, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 7 amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
- 8 "(a) An employee shall be entitled to a total of four
- 9 weeks of family leave during any calendar year upon the birth of
- 10 a child of the employee or the adoption of a child, or to care
- 11 for the employee's child, sibling, spouse or reciprocal
- 12 beneficiary, or parent with a serious health condition."
- 13 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored.
- 14 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2013.

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Report Title:

Family Leave; Siblings

Description:

Permits an employee to use family leave time to care for a sibling. Defines "sibling". Effective July 1, 2013.

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