
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO PROCUREMENT.

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

SECTION 1. Section 103D-110, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

"§103D-110 Education and training. (a) The department of human resources development, either alone or in cooperation with any governmental body, including the department of labor and industrial relations, or in cooperation with other states, the federal government, or other persons may:

(1) Conduct or participate in procurement education and training for persons not employed by the State; and

(2) Sponsor a purchasing certification program conducted by a voluntary organization of procurement professionals.

(b) The state procurement office, in cooperation with the department of human resources development, shall develop and maintain a procurement practices training and development program for procurement officers of ~~[the State and the several counties,]~~ any governmental body, to ensure that an agency's procurement practices are in compliance with the procurement



1 code and that proper procurement decisions are made consistent
2 with this chapter. The program shall include a mandatory
3 fundamental training and development session that each
4 procurement officer shall attend prior to authorizing any
5 procurement and follow-up training and development sessions[-]
6 that each procurement officer of any governmental body, or the
7 officer's designee, shall attend, as determined by the state
8 procurement office; provided that the state procurement office
9 shall conduct mandatory follow-up training and development
10 sessions under this subsection at regular intervals of at least
11 once every twelve months.

12 ~~[-(c) Each state procurement officer of a department of the~~
13 ~~executive branch shall attend a mandatory fundamental training~~
14 ~~and development session within sixty days of being appointed or~~
15 ~~named to the position of procurement officer.~~

16 ~~-(d)]~~ (c) Each state procurement officer of a department of
17 the executive branch whom the state procurement office
18 determines is in need of further training and development based
19 upon:



(1) The history of procurement compliance to this chapter by the agency to which the particular procurement officer is attached; or

(2) Any other need for training and development, shall attend follow-up training and development sessions~~[-]~~ in addition to any follow-up training and development session required under subsection (b).

~~[(e)]~~ (d) Attendance by state and county procurement officers at the follow-up training and development sessions~~[-]~~ other than as required under subsection (d), and by county procurement officials at the fundamental and follow up training and development sessions is optional, though encouraged.] shall be mandatory."

SECTION 2. There is appropriated out of the general revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$270,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2015-2016 and the same sum or so much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2016-2017 for the acquisition of a learning management system and one full-time equivalent (1.00 FTE) position within the state procurement office to develop and implement a procurement training program.



1 The sums appropriated shall be expended by the state
2 procurement office for the purposes of this Act.

3 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
4 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

5 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval;
6 provided that section 2 shall take effect on July 1, 2015.

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Report Title:

Procurement Officers; Education and Training; Appropriation

Description:

Requires every government procurement officer to attend initial training by the state procurement office and regular follow-up training as determined by the state procurement office.

Appropriates funds for the acquisition of a learning management system and for one full-time equivalent position to develop and implement a procurement training program. (SD1)

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