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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO WORKERS' COMPENSATION.

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

SECTION 1. Section 386-80, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 1 2 amended to read as follows: 3 "§386-80 Examination by impartial physician. The director 4 of labor and industrial relations may appoint a duly qualified impartial physician, whose specialty is appropriate for the 5 injury being examined, to examine the injured employee and to 6 report. The fees for such examination shall be paid from the 7 8 funds appropriated by the legislature for the use of the 9 department of labor and industrial relations." 10 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored. 11 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Workers' Compensation; Impartial Physician; Exam

Description:

Requires a workers' compensation impartial exam to be conducted by a doctor whose specialty is appropriate for the injury to be examined in cases where the director of labor and industrial relations appoints a doctor to conduct an exam.

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