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### A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO SPECIALTY CONTRACTORS.

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

SECTION 1. Section 444-8, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
amended to read as follows:

3 "§444-8 Powers to classify and limit operations. (a) The 4 contractors license board may adopt rules and regulations 5 necessary to effect the classification of contractors in a manner consistent with established usage and procedure as found 6 7 in the construction business, and may limit the field and scope 8 of the operations of a licensed contractor to those in which the 9 contractor is classified and qualified to engage, as defined in 10 section 444-7.

(b) A licensee may make application for classification and be classified in more than one classification if the licensee meets the qualifications prescribed by the board for such additional classification or classifications. For qualifying or classifying in additional classifications, the licensee shall pay the appropriate application fee but shall not be required to pay any additional license fee.



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1 (c) This section shall not prohibit a specialty contractor 2 from taking and executing a contract involving the use of two or 3 more crafts or trades, if the performance of the work in the 4 crafts or trades, other than in which the specialty contractor 5 is licensed, is incidental and supplemental to the performance 6 of work in the craft for which the specialty contractor is 7 licensed. 8 (d) The board shall adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91 to 9 define the phrase "incidental and supplemental to the 10 performance of work", as used in subsection (c); provided that 11 the definition shall refer to no more than twenty-five per cent 12 of all work in any craft or trade, other than any craft or trade 13 for which the specialty contractor is licensed, to be performed 14 under a single contract." 15 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that 16 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were begun before its effective date. 17 18 SECTION 3. New statutory material is underscored. SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval. 19 By Request 20

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## H.B. NO.996

#### Report Title:

Specialty Contractors; Incidental and Supplemental Work; Definition

### Description:

Requires the Contractors License Board to adopt rules to define "incidental and supplemental to the performance of work" to clarify the percentage of a craft or trade in which a specialty contractor may engage without a license while performing work in a craft and trade for which contractor is licensed.

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