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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO TRAVEL AGENCIES.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 468L-2, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 "§468L-2 Registration and renewal. (a) A travel agency
- 4 shall register with the director prior to engaging in the
- 5 business of selling or advertising to sell travel services.
- 6 (b) Each travel agency shall renew its registration on or
- 7 before December 31 of each odd-numbered year. A statement on a
- 8 form designed and provided by the department verifying that the
- 9 practices of the travel agency are in accordance with section
- 10 468L-5, shall be filed with the renewal.
- 11 (c) A travel agency that sells activities individually or
- 12 as part of a tour package shall register with the director as an
- 13 activity desk under section 468M-2.
- 14 (d) A travel agency that operates as a sole proprietorship
- 15 shall file, with the initial registration or renewal, proof of
- 16 professional liability and errors and omissions insurance in an
- 17 <u>amount of at least</u> <u>dollars annually.</u>"



1	SECTION	2.	New	statutory	material	is	underscored.
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This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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# S.B. NO. 266

### Report Title:

Travel Agencies; Sole Proprietorships; Insurance; Registration

### Description:

Requires travel agencies that operate as sole proprietorships to file proof of professional liability and errors and omissions insurance as a condition of registration or renewal.

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