



EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE  
GOVERNOR

July 10, 2018

**GOV. MSG. NO. 1307**

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,  
President  
and Members of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,  
Speaker and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on July 10, 2018, the following bill was signed into law:

HB2149 HD1 SD1

RELATING TO DENTISTRY  
**ACT 198 (18)**

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

Approved by the Governor

on JUL 10 2018

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, 2018  
STATE OF HAWAII

ORIGINAL

ACT 198

H.B. NO. 2149  
H.D. 1  
S.D. 1

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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DENTISTRY.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 448-8.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended to read as follows:  
3 "§448-8.5 Continuing education requirements. The board  
4 shall adopt a program of continuing education for dentists and a  
5 program of continuing education for dental hygienists. After  
6 January 1, 2002, at the time of reregistration of license as a  
7 dentist or dental hygienist, each licensee shall present to the  
8 board evidence of compliance with the program of continuing  
9 education applicable to their profession. In addition to any  
10 other continuing education requirement adopted by the board,  
11 after January 1, 2016, each licensee who is a dentist shall  
12 present to the board evidence of having completed at least  
13 ~~[three]~~ six hours of ethics training during the previous ~~[year.]~~  
14 two years for each biennial renewal period. Failure to  
15 reregister and present evidence of compliance shall constitute a  
16 forfeiture of license, which may be restored only upon written



1 application therefor and payment to the board of a restoration  
2 fee."

3 SECTION 2. This Act does not affect rights and duties that  
4 matured, penalties that were incurred, and proceedings that were  
5 begun before its effective date.

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed  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

8 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.

APPROVED this 10 day of JUL , 2018



GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII



HB No. 2149, HD 1, SD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: April 25, 2018  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2018.



Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker  
House of Representatives



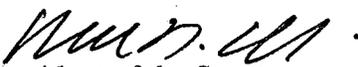
Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives

H.B. No. 2149, H.D. 1, S.D. 1

**THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I**

Date: April 6, 2018  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Third Reading in the  
Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of 2018.

  
President of the Senate

  
Clerk of the Senate