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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO CONTRACTORS.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 444-10.6, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by amending subsection (e) to read as follows:

3 "(e) Any person who violates section 444-9 [~~in connection~~
4 ~~with the offer or performance of repairs to a residential or~~
5 ~~nonresidential structure for damage caused by a natural disaster~~
6 ~~in]~~ :

7 (1) During or within five years following a national
8 emergency proclaimed by the President or the Congress
9 of the United States or a state of emergency
10 proclaimed by the governor; and

11 (2) Within a political subdivision for which [a state of]
12 the emergency or disaster is proclaimed [by the
13 governor, may punished by a fine of up to \$10,000,
14 imprisonment up to one year, or both],
15 shall be guilty of a class B felony, in addition to all other
16 remedies or penalties."




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

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed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

6 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:  _____



S.B. NO. 2981

Report Title:

National Emergencies; States of Emergency; Disasters;
Contractors; Unlicensed; Penalties

Description:

Establishes as a class B felony the unlicensed performance of contractor work, during or within 5 years following a national emergency, state of emergency, or disaster proclamation, in an affected political subdivision.

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