

ACT 59

A Bill for an Act Amending Section 5-8, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955,
Relating to Public Employment.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:

SECTION 1. Section 11 of Article III of the State constitution provides for the consideration and enactment in a budget session of all urgency measures deemed necessary in the public interest. Said section 11 further provides that no urgency measure shall be considered unless a statement of facts constituting such urgency shall be set forth in a section thereof and until such section shall have been first approved by each house. Pursuant to said Section 11 of Article III of the state constitution, this act is hereby declared to be an urgency measure deemed necessary in the public interest. The following is a statement of facts constituting such urgency:

There have been several instances recently where government employees, including employees of the Department of Education, have been involved in labor disputes through employment with other employers. The result has been the involvement of the Department of Education and the State in the disputes. This has not been in the best interests of the State government. In the case where school teachers have been involved, the students of the school and their parents were also affected. In order to avoid the recurrence of these incidents, this legislature deems it necessary and urgent to amend Section 5-8 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955.

SECTION 2. Section 5-8, Revised Laws of Hawaii 1955 is hereby amended by adding thereto another subsection to be numbered (c), reading as follows:

“For any government employee to become or remain employed by any other employer who is engaged in a lockout or whose employees are on strike.”

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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