ACT 151

H.B. NO. 433

A Bill for an Act Relating to Election Precinct Officials.

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

SECTION 1. Section 11-71, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

"Sec. 11-71 Precinct officials; precinct requirements. There shall be not less than three precinct officials for each precinct one of whom shall be the chairman; provided that in precincts where more than one voting unit has been established, there shall be three precinct officials for each unit. The chairman of precinct officials shall have authority in all units of the precinct.

In all precincts, the chief election officer may assign additional precinct officials, at least one of whom may be designated a voter assistance official.

So far as reasonably practicable, excepting the chairman, not more than fifty per cent of the precinct officials in any precinct shall be of the same political party."

SECTION 2. Section 11-76, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

- "Sec. 11-76 Compensation. (a) Electronic ballot and voting machine elections. Precinct officials, other than the chairman and voter assistance official, shall be paid \$45 for each election. The voter assistance official shall be paid \$50 for each election. The chairman of the precinct officials for each precinct shall be paid \$55 for each election for a single-unit precinct and \$10 more per unit for larger precincts.
- (b) Paper ballot elections. The chairman of the precinct officials and the precinct officials shall receive the same base amounts as in subsection (a). In addition, all precinct officials shall be paid \$1 for each three hundred ballots or portion thereof cast at the precinct."

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New material is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the brackets, the bracketed material, or the underscoring.*

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

(Approved June 2, 1977.)

^{*}Edited accordingly.