

ACT 167

S.B. NO. 1944-80

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Judiciary.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 601, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

**“Sec. 601- Security personnel, powers.** Any person employed by the judiciary as a state law enforcement officer or state security officer upon specific authorization and direction of the judiciary shall have all of the powers of police officers, including the power of arrest as that of law enforcement officers employed by the department of the attorney general under section 28-11.5 provided that such power shall remain in force and effect only while that person is in the actual performance of such person’s duties, which duties shall include off-duty employment when such employment is for other state departments or agencies.”

SECTION 2. New material is underscored.\*

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

(Approved May 29, 1980.)

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\*The text has been edited pursuant to HRS §23G-16.5, authorizing omission of the brackets, bracketed material, and underscoring.