ACT 45

S.B. NO. 466

A Bill for an Act Relating to Payments into the State Treasury.

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

SECTION 1. Part II of chapter 40, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated and to read:

"§40- Assessment and collection of service charges for dishonored items. Unless otherwise provided by law or rules having the force and effect of law, every public accountant receiving revenue or other moneys on account of the State shall assess and collect a service charge in the amount of \$7.50 for any check, draft, certificate of deposit, or other negotiable instrument the public accountant receives that is dishonored for any reason. A public accountant shall require payment of the service charge in cash or by certified cashier's check or by bank or postal money order. The service charge shall be deposited with the director of finance as a realization of the general fund."

SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.*

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

(Approved May 26, 1981.)

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