H.B. NO. 2097-82

A Bill for an Act Relating to Fair Housing.

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

SECTION 1. Section 515-10, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

"(b) If within sixty days after the complaint is filed it is determined by the department that there is no reasonable cause to believe that the respondent has engaged in a discriminatory practice, the department shall issue an order dismissing the complaint and shall furnish a copy of the order to the complainant, the respondent, the attorney general, and such other public officers and persons as the department deems proper. [The respondent is entitled to recover from the complainant attorney's fee, not to exceed \$100, if such cost is incurred.]"

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval. (Approved April 23, 1982.)