

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Registration of Aircraft.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 261, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by adding three new sections to be appropriately designated and to read as follows:

“§261- Aircraft registration. Unless an aircraft is exempted by this section, no person shall operate or cause or authorize to be operated any aircraft at an airport owned or controlled by the department, unless the aircraft has a certificate of registration issued in accordance with rules adopted by the department. Aircraft exempt from registration required by this section include:

- (1) Aircraft operating primarily in interstate or foreign commerce;
- (2) Aircraft owned or operated by the United States;
- (3) Aircraft in transit through the State; and
- (4) Aircraft operated by any scheduled airline carrier which is a lessee of the State under an airport-airline lease at the Honolulu International Airport and which is commonly referred to as signatory airline.

§261- Annual registration fee. The department shall assess and collect an annual registration fee of \$10 from each operator of aircraft required to be registered under section 261- .

§261- Failure to register. (a) All aircraft, unless exempted, shall be registered within the time prescribed by rules adopted by the director.

(b) Failure to comply with the registration requirements shall subject the operator of the aircraft to:

- (1) A penalty of not more than \$100 per aircraft;
- (2) The denial of the use of the airport facilities; and
- (3) Removal of the aircraft to a location designated pursuant to rules adopted by the director.

(c) The director is authorized to adopt rules pursuant to chapter 91 to effectuate the purposes of sections 261- to 261- .”

SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.<sup>1</sup>

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

(Approved June 12, 1985.)

**Note**

1. Edited pursuant to HRS §23G-16.5.