ACT 62   S.B. NO. 689

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Council on Revenues.

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

SECTION 1. The legislature finds that cumulative experience and continuity in office are essential to the proper administration of the council on revenues. There is a particular level of expertise required for the analysis and determination of revenue projections, and limiting the term of office of the members of the council on revenues will result in the State losing experienced specialists who will be irreplaceable. Therefore, it is determined to be in the public interest to continue the council members in office for an unlimited number of terms, as long as efficiency is demonstrated.

SECTION 2. Section 37-111, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (b) to read as follows:

"(b) The council on revenues shall consist of seven members. Three members shall be appointed by the governor to serve for four year terms. Because cumulative experience and continuity in office are essential to the proper administration of this chapter, it is declared to be in the public interest to continue board members in office as long as efficiency is demonstrated, notwithstanding the provision of section 26-34, which limits the appointment of a member of a board or commission to two terms. Two members each shall be appointed by the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of representatives to serve for an unlimited number of two year terms. The members shall appoint from their own membership the person who shall serve as chairman of the council. Any vacancy shall be filled by the respective appointing authority. Members shall not receive compensation but shall be reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of their duties."

SECTION 2.[1] Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.[2] New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 3.[1] This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 1, 1985.)

Notes

1. So in original.
2. No bracketed material.