ACT 18

H.B. NO. 1312

A Bill for an Act Relating to the Governor's Agriculture Coordinating Committee.

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

SECTION 1. Section 164-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

"§164-1 Establishment of the governor's agriculture coordinating committee. There is established, in the governor's office for administrative purposes, the governor's agriculture coordinating committee, whose membership shall include the special assistant for agriculture, office of the governor, who shall be the chairperson, the director of planning and economic development, the chairperson of the board of land and natural resources, the chairperson of the board of agriculture, the director of transportation, the chairperson of the Hawaiian homes commission, or their respective deputies, the dean of the college of tropical agriculture and human resources, or at the designation of the dean, the director of the Hawaii institute of tropical agriculture and human resources, and three farmers, one of whom shall be a representative of a recognized nonprofit association of farmers. All members of the committee shall serve without pay but shall be entitled to reimbursement for necessary expenses while attending meetings and while in the discharge of the duties and responsibilities of the committee. [Effective January 1, 1986, the] The salary of the special assistant to the governor for agriculture shall be [\$36,026 a year.] fixed by the governor."

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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

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

(Became law on April 24, 1987, without the Governor's signature, pursuant to Art. III, §16, State Constitution.)