

ACT 207

H.B. NO. 2012

A Bill for an Act Relating to School Lunch.

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

SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to require the department of education to establish and maintain the price of the school lunch to be set in proportion to the cost of preparing the school lunch.

SECTION 2. Section 296-44, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

“§296-44 School cafeterias; funds; expenditures; cafeteria division. (a) The price for the school lunch shall be set by the department of education to ensure that moneys received from the sale of the lunches shall be one-third of the cost of preparing the school lunch, rounded to the nearest 25 cents, adjusted during the first year of each fiscal biennium. The price for the school lunch shall be based on the average cost of preparing the school lunch over the three years preceding the second year of the biennium.

(b) All moneys received by or for the public school cafeterias from the sale of meals, the sale of services, [or from] the federal government, or [from] any other source, shall be deposited in one special school lunch fund[; and except]. Except as otherwise provided by the legislature, all expenditures for the operation of public school cafeterias shall be made from this fund.

(c) It is the intent of this section not to jeopardize the receipt of any federal aid and to the extent, and only to the extent necessary to effectuate this intent, the governor may modify the strict provisions of this section, but shall promptly report

any such modification with the governor's reasons therefor to the next succeeding session of the legislature for review.

(d) The governor may create a division within the department of education to carry out the cafeteria functions and programs.”

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 1993.

(Approved June 10, 1993.)