

ACT 18

H.B. NO. 1870

A Bill for an Act Relating to Insurance Rate Regulation.

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

SECTION 1. Section 431:14-103, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:

“(c) Upon the issuance of a certificate by a certified safety and health professional to an employer that the employer has an effective safety and health program pursuant to section 396-4.5, the insurer shall provide the employer with a workers’ compensation insurance premium discount of at least five per cent[.]; provided that the employer shall maintain the effective safety and health program throughout the policy period. Standards for the issuance of certificates shall be included in rules adopted by the department of labor and industrial relations pursuant to chapter 91.”

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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

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

(Approved April 14, 1997.)