ACT 56

H.B. NO. 1296

A Bill for an Act Relating to Garnishment.

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

SECTION 1. Section 652-1, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (e) to read as follows:

"(e) [Limits on process, when.] If any party named in the process as garnishee is a corporation, firm, or person having places of business in more than one judicial circuit or district in the State, the service of process upon the garnishee upon service in any one circuit or district shall operate [only] to secure the garnishee fund [within the circuit or circuits in which the process is served in cases where the process is issued out of a circuit court, or within the district in which process is served in cases where the process is issued out of a district court.] in each place of business in the State."

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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 23, 1997.)