ACT 267

H.B. NO. 2758

A Bill for an Act Relating to Procurement.

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

SECTION 1. Section 103F-106, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

"[[]§103F-106[]] Authority of the procurement policy board. The policy board established under section 103D-201 shall adopt all rules necessary to implement this chapter. All rules shall be adopted in accordance with chapter 91. The policy board shall consider and decide matters of policy within the scope of this chapter including those referred to it by chief procurement officers. The policy board may audit and monitor implementation of its rules and the requirements of this chapter, but shall not exercise authority over the award or administration of any particular contract, or over any dispute or claim arising from a contract."

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding section 103F-106, Hawaii Revised Statutes, the policy board may issue interim rules by procurement directives exempt from the requirements of chapter 91; provided that the interim rules shall remain in effect no longer than June 30, 1999.

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 1998.

(Approved July 20, 1998.)