ACT 22

H.B. NO. 102

A Bill for an Act Relating to Wage Payments.

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

SECTION 1. Section 388-10, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended by amending subsection (a) to read as follows:

"(a) Civil. Any employer who fails to pay wages in accordance with this chapter without equitable justification shall be liable to the employee, in addition to the wages legally proven to be due, for a sum [up] equal to the amount of unpaid wages and interest at a rate of six per cent per year from the date <u>that</u> the wages were due."

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 Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed.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 22, 1999.)