Act No. 147  1st REGULAR SESSION—6th ASSEMBLY  June 30

The Department of Health is hereby authorized to issue, when it believes it advisable, a permit of midwife's assistant; to fix the powers and duties of same and to give and prescribe the instructions suitable for this purpose, without which such permit cannot be issued.

Section 2.—This act shall take effect immediately after its approval.

Approved June 30, 1969.

Labor—Employee’s Bonus

H.B. 364  [No. 148]
[Approved June 30, 1969]

AN ACT

To establish the payment of a bonus to certain employees of private enterprise and to provide for the manner and terms of payment.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Puerto Rico:

Section 1.—

Any employer who employs simultaneously two or more workers or employees for a period of six (6) months or more within the period of twelve (12) months comprised from November 30 of any calendar year until the same date of the subsequent calendar year shall be bound to grant to each one of said employees who have worked seven hundred (700) hours or more within the periods set forth, a bonus equivalent to 2% of the total wages, computed up to a maximum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, earned by the employee or worker within the said lapse of time. The total of the amounts paid by reason of said bonus shall not exceed 15% of the net annual profit of the employer. This bonus shall constitute an additional compensation to any other wages or benefits of another nature to which the employee is entitled.

Section 2.—

The payment of the bonus herein established shall be made not prior to the 1st nor after the 15th of each month of December,