

HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES INC  
Form 8-K  
July 11, 2008

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**  
**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report: July 9, 2008

<b>Exact Name of Registrant</b>	<b>Commission</b>	<b>I.R.S. Employer</b>
<b>as Specified in Its Charter</b>	<b>File Number</b>	<b>Identification No.</b>
<b>Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc.</b>	<b>1-8503</b>	<b>99-0208097</b>
	<b>State of Hawaii</b>	

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**900 Richards Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813**

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(808) 543-5662 - Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc. (HEI)

**None**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Bill D. Mills, 56, a director since 1988, has decided to retire from the HEI Board of Directors, effective July 9, 2008. There was no disagreement between the registrant and Mr. Mills; the latter decided to retire due to pressing personal business interests. At the time of his retirement, Mr. Mills was a member of the Compensation Committee of the HEI Board of Directors.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Registrant)

/s/ Curtis Y. Harada  
Curtis Y. Harada  
Controller and Acting Financial Vice President, Treasurer  
and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer of HEI)  
Date: July 11, 2008