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January 29, 2007

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
Senate President  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Hanabusa:

I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill 1424, which makes an emergency appropriation of \$250,000 in compliance resolution funds in Fiscal Year 2006-2007 to investigate the power outages that occurred on October 15, 2006 on the islands of Oahu, Maui and Hawaii.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs will be available to answer any questions you or your staff may have.

Sincerely,

LINDA LINGLE

- c: The Honorable Rosalyn Baker, Chair  
Senate Committee on Ways and Means  
The Honorable Brian Taniguchi, Chair  
Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection  
and Affordable Housing