



Written Statement of
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before the
House Committee on Finance
Friday, March 29, 2019
2:00 p.m.
State Capitol, Conference Room 308

In consideration of
SB966, SD1, HD1
RELATING TO MILILANI TECHNOLOGY PARK.

Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen, and Members of the Committee.

The Hawaii Technology Development Corporation (HTDC) submits **comments** on SB966, SD1, HD1 that requires the Hawaii Technology Development Corporation to enter into negotiations to acquire the properties identified as Tax Map Keys: (1) 9-5-046:041 and (1) 9-5-046:042, parcels that are within or near Mililani Technology Park, to facilitate the redevelopment of those parcels for community benefit.

HTDC is currently facilitating the development efforts for the First Responders Technology Campus (FRTC) in Mililani Technology Park. The project is a collaboration between multiple stakeholder agencies. HTDC understands the adjacent parcels described in this bill are intended to support the FRTC project and additionally offer community benefit. HTDC is supportive of facilitating an adjacent project provided the project maintains a clear tie to HTDC's mission.

Thank you for the opportunity to offer these comments.