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EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
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LINDA LINGLE  
GOVERNOR

January 30, 2003

The Honorable Robert Bunda  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Second State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 003  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill No. 1381 for emergency appropriations to provide funding to open and operate the Kapolei Public Library.

The purpose of this Act is to amend Act 259, Session Laws of Hawaii 2001, section 3, as amended by Act 3, Third Special Session Laws of Hawaii 2001, as further amended by Act 177, Session Laws of Hawaii 2002, by amending item G-8 so as to appropriate an additional \$1,000,000 in general funds for fiscal year 2002-2003 to complete Phase I of the Kapolei Public Library for staff positions; to purchase, catalog and process materials for collection; and utilities, supplies and other inventory.

If this emergency appropriation is not approved, the number of months before the library can be opened to the public will increase beyond 12 months currently projected.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The Department of Budget and Finance will be available to answer any questions you may have on this request.

Sincerely,



LINDA LINGLE

cc: The Honorable Brian T. Taniguchi