

## UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I

David McClain Interim President

December 8, 2005

The Honorable Robert Bunda President of the Senate State Capitol, Room 003 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Bunda:

For your information and consideration, the University of Hawai' i is transmitting herewith, two (2) copies of the Annual Report on the activities of the Hawai' i Research Center for Future Studies (Chapter 222-3, Hawai' i Revised Statues) as requested by the Legislature.

Established by the Legislature in 1971, the Hawai'i Research Center for Futures Studies continues to serve locally, nationally and globally via futures-oriented consultations, workshops, lectures, and publications for public, commercial, educational, and nonprofit organizations. Until recently, the Center was housed in the Social Science Research Institute of the University of Hawai'i's Mānoa campus. It is now in the UH Mānoa Department of Political Science so that it can better develop and use the talents of the students of the Alternative Futures Graduate Option in the Department in its consulting, training, and research.

Pursuant to Act 231, SLH 2001, we are also informing you that the report may be viewed electronically at: http://www.hawaii.edu/offices/eaur/govrel/reports/2006/index.html.

Sincerely,

David McClain Interim President

Enclosure(s)

cc: Chancellor Denise Eby Konan, UH Manoa