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LINDA LINGLE GOVERNOR

January 28, 2008

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

Dear Madam President:

I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill 3074, which makes an emergency appropriation of \$1,807,539 in general funds for Fiscal Year 2007-2008 to pay ambulance service providers statewide collective bargaining increases.

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

Sincerely,

LINDA LINGLE

c: The Honorable Brian Taniguchi, Chair Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor

The Honorable Rosalyn Baker, Chair Senate Committee on Ways and Means