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IN REPLY REFER TO

Statement of
Charles King
Chair, Board of Directors

of the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation Before the

SENATECOMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING

April 4, 2008, 9:30 a.m. Room 229, State Capitol

In consideration of

G.M. 527 GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE DAVID A. LAWRENCE TO THE HAWAII HOUSING FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The HHFDC strongly supports the re-nomination of David A. Lawrence to the HHFDC Board of Directors, representing the County of Maui. Director Lawrence has served on the HHFDC Board since the agency's inception in 2006, and currently serves as the Board's Vice Chair.

Director Lawrence has been a dedicated member of the Board of Directors. His leadership, experience as a mortgage broker for Wells Fargo Home Mortgage of Hawaii, and personal dedication to community service has been a great asset to the HHFDC.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.