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Dear Chair Oshiro and Members of the Finance Committee:

I would like to express my support for HB2917 HD1. There are several harbors on the south shore of Oahu and vessels with current mooring permits should be allowed to seek shelter without penalty in an alternate harbor if weather conditions render the home port unusable. Additionally, commercial fishing vessels doing business (loading ice, unloading fish, fueling, undergoing repairs) may need to use an alternate harbor for a period of time. On a space available basis, their mooring permits should be honored in each harbor.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide supportive testimony on this measure.

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