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SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS MARCH 9, 2010 9:30 AM

FOR THE HEARING ON GM 243 CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION AS STATE PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATOR, GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE, AARON FUJIOKA

TESTIMONY IN STRONG SUPPORT

Chair Taniguchi and members of the Judiciary and Government Operations:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony in strong support of Aaron Fujioka's confirmation as State Procurement Administrator. In working with Aaron, I have found him to be fair and prudent and to have a strong commitment to public service.

Aaron has implemented many initiatives that significantly improved State Procurement by increasing transparency and accountability. In addition, under Aaron's leadership, the State Procurement Office (SPO) has implemented training programs that I believe are the best in the State. I appreciate Aaron's excellent judgment and guidance. I have full confidence in Aaron's integrity and ability to lead the State Procurement Office.

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