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STATE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

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COMMENTS ON HB 1190

Aloha chair, Taniguchi, Vice Chair Takamine and members of Judiciary and Government Operations

I am Rosebella Martinez, a health professional with a Master's Degree in Public Health. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on HB 1190. This bill would initiate to develop an efficient and effective protocol to handle traffic investigations that would establish a normal traffic condition while performing required investigation during an accident. A timely arrival of coroner at the scene and a speedy but accurate investigation to shorten the delay of traffic flow that is typically excessive and congestive during regular hours is a must. A well coordinated system will expedite the investigation that should be taken into serious manner of consideration. We do not want to experience another <u>Black Tuesday</u>.. Thank you for the opportunity to share my comments regarding this bill.