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Hawaii Solar Energy Association

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SB2147

TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT

Aloha Chair Gabbard, Vice Chair English, and Members of the Committee,

The Hawaii Solar Energy Association supports SB 2147, a measure that essentially holds businesses accountable for their energy management practices. This measure is simple yet effective in the sense that it will continue to move us towards an energy efficient future by bringing energy consciousness to the people.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

Mark Duda President, Hawaii Solar Energy Association

About Hawaii Solar Energy Association

Hawaii Solar Energy Association (HSEA) is comprised of installers, distributors, manufacturers and financers of solar energy systems, both hot water and PV, most of which are Hawaii based, owned and operated. Our primary goals are: (1) to further solar energy and related arts, sciences and technologies with concern for the ecologic, social and economic fabric of the area; (2) to encourage the widespread utilization of solar equipment as a means of lowering the cost of energy to the American public, to help stabilize our economy, to develop independence from fossil fuel and thereby reduce carbon emissions that contribute to climate change; (3) to establish, foster and advance the usefulness of the members, and their various products and services related to the economic applications of the conversion of solar energy for various useful purposes; and (4) to cooperate in, and contribute toward, the enhancement of widespread understanding of the various applications of solar energy conversion in order to increase their usefulness to society.