SB 2266

DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMER SERVICES CITY & COUNTY OF HONOLULU

DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLE, LICENSING AND PERMITS
ADMINISTRATION
P.O. BOX 30300
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96820-0300

MUFI HANNEMANN



GAIL Y. HARAGUCHI

DENNIS A KAMIMURA LICENSING ADMINISTRATOR

January 25, 2010

The Honorable J. Kalani English, Chair and Committee Members
Committee on Transportation, International and Intergovernmental Affairs
The Senate
State of Hawaii
State Capitol, Room 205
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair English and Committee Members:

Subject: S.B. No. 2266, Relating to Driver Licensing

The City and County of Honolulu is opposed to S.B. No. 2266 which allows driver license applicants to indicate their blood type on their driver license application form and print their blood type on their driver license card.

We are concerned that indicating a self-declared blood type on the driver license card may result in the unintended serious consequence of medical personnel relying on the printed blood type as being correct and verified.

The City and County of Honolulu urges that S.B. No. 2266 be held.

Sincerely,

Gail Y. Haraguchi

Director