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STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH P.O. Box 3378 HONOLULU, HAWAII 96801-3378 LORETTA J. FUDDY, A.C.S.W., M.P.H. DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

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Senate Committee on Health

GM 741, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council

Testimony of Loretta J. Fuddy, A.C.S.W., M.P.H. Director of Health

Wednesday, April 10, 2013 1:30 p.m.

1 **Department's Position:** The Department of Health supports the nomination and confirmation

2 of Mr. Jonagustine Lim to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council (SHCC).

3 Fiscal Implications: None

4 **Purpose and Justification:** The purpose is for the consideration and confirmation to the

5 SHCC, Gubernatorial Nominee, Mr. Jonagustine Lim.

6 Mr. Lim is currently the President of LimPacific, Inc. LimPacific, Inc. provides

7 consulting, management and computer/networking support services for government,

8 construction, professional services and non-profit organizations. Mr. Lim also worked for the

9 American Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai, China and the Information and Communication

10 Services Division of the Department of Accounting and General Services for the State of

11 Hawaii.

Mr. Lim is active in the community. He is a former 2009 Fellow for the Pacific Century Fellows, Board Member for the Alliance for Drama Education, Member of the Pacific and Asian Affairs Council and Member of the Chamber of Commerce of Hawaii. Finally, Mr. Lim currently

15 serves as Chair of the Honolulu Subarea Health Planning Council.

- Mr. Lim has a Master of Business Administration and a Bachelor of Science from the
 University of Hawaii at Manoa. He is also a member of the Beta Gamma Sigma International
 Business School Honors Society.
 We ask for your support on the confirmation of Mr. Jonagustine Lim to serve on the
- 5 Statewide Health Coordinating Council.



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W. Bruce Barrett Castle & Cooke Homes Hawaii, Inc. Testimony to the Senate Committee on Health Wednesday, April 10, 2013 1:30 p.m. State Capitol - Conference Room 229

SUBJECT: GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE 7541, GUBENATORIAL NOMINEE JONAGUSTIN LIM, STATEWIDE HEALTH COORDINATING COUNCIL

Dear Chair Green, Vice-Chair Baker, and members of the Committee:

My name is Gladys Marrone, Director of Government Relations for the Building Industry Association of Hawaii (BIA-Hawaii), the voice of the construction industry. We promote our members through advocacy and education, and provide community outreach programs to enhance the quality of life for the people of Hawaii. BIA-Hawaii is a not-for-profit professional trade organization chartered in 1955, affiliated with the National Association of Home Builders.

BIA-HAWAII **supports** the nomination of Mr. Jonagustin Lim to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council (SHCC), for a term to expire June 30, 2016.

The SHCC requires a representative from the Honolulu Subarea Council (HONSAC), of which Mr. Lim is a member serving 6 years, two of which has been as chair. Mr. Lim's appointment to the SHCC would be as a consumer. This is beneficial as he would provide an outside perspective to the SHCC with minimal conflicts of interests in the health care field, except for being a consumer of health care services. Additionally, Mr. Lim would bring with him his experience as a small business owner.

We believe Mr. Lim is more than well-suited for a position on the Statewide Health Coordinating Council. We appreciate the opportunity to provide our **support** for this nomination.

David Rodriguez

419 Atkinson Drive #705 Honolulu, HI 96814 (808) 945-9100

April 10, 2013

Senate Committee on Health Senator Josh Green, Chair Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair Senator Suzanne Chun-Oakland Senator Clarence K. Nishihara Senator Sam Slom

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Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, Gubernatorial Nominee, **JONAGUSTINE LIM**, for a term to expire 6-30-2016.

It gives me great pleasure and honor to submit testimony in strong support of Jonagustine Lim.

I've known Mr. Lim since 1998 as a colleague during his years in Hawaii State Government to improve our computer based information systems. His knowledge of Information Technology is an asset to the State Health Coordinating Council, especially in terms of access to quality health care services.

His honesty, patience and caring demeanor are traits admired as a friend and are the same qualities which called him to serve on this important Council.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide my support to his nomination.

April 8, 2013

Senator Josh Green Senator Rosalyn Baker Senate Committee on Health Hawaii State Legislature

Dear Senators Green and Baker,

I am writing in support of the nomation of Jonagustine Lim for the Statewide Health Coordinating Council. I have known Mr. Lim for the past 4 years, and know him to be a person of high integrity. In all my dealings with him, I have found him to be very smart, thoughtful, and respectful of other's points of view. I believe he would be an asset to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council.

I would be happy to answer any other questions you may have about Mr. Lim. I can be reached at <u>mbartell@hotmail.com</u>.

Respectfully yours,

Michelle C. Bartell

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Submitted on: 4/8/2013 Testimony for HTH on Apr 10, 2013 13:30PM in Conference Room 229

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| | Wes Mikuni | Ralph S. Inouye Co., Ltd. | Support | No |

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Date: April 9, 2013

To: The members of the Senate Health Committee

Subject: GM 741 – Submitting for consideration to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council nomination of Jonagustine Lim

To whom it may concern:

I would like to express my interest in continuing to serve our state as a Board and Commissions volunteer for the Statewide Health Coordinating Council.

I am currently serving a second 4-year term in the State Health Planning Council, Honolulu Subarea (HONSAC) with my term ending in 2016.

Earlier this year, one of our HONSAC members stepped down from HONSAC and SHCC, vacating a required HONSAC representative on the SHCC. Since the SHCC requires a representative from each SAC, I respectfully submit my name for your consideration.

Thank you for your consideration of my nomination to the SHCC. If you have any questions for me, I can be reached at 808-225-7618 or Jonagustine_lim@yahoo.com. I am happy to be of service to our state in a volunteer capacity and hope I can make a meaningful contribution by being in the SHCC.

Respectfully,

Jonagustine Lim