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TESTIMONY SUPPORTING HOUSE BILL 1419 - RELATING TO PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL SPACE CENTER FOR EXPLORATION SYSTEMS

Dear Members of the 27th Hawaii State Legislature,

I am writing in support of this bill, the intent of which is to fund activities of the Pacific International Space Center for Exploration Systems.

As a Hawaii resident and member of the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee I believe very strongly that funding of the Pacific International Space Center for Exploration Systems, at least until such time as it is self sustaining, will pay diverse and substantial dividends for our local aerospace industry and the state's long term economic well-being.

Please do not hesitate to contact me directly if you have further questions about my testimony. I can be reached via email at <u>losborn@dreamhammer.com</u> or by phone at (808) 554-4684.

Best regards and aloha,

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