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# Statement of Hakim Ouansafi Hawaii Public Housing Authority Before the

### SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

April 10, 2013 10:00 A.M. Room 016, Hawaii State Capitol

In consideration of

### Senate Concurrent Resolution 60, Senate Draft 1

### Urging the Hawaii Public Housing Authority to Initiate the Sponsorship Process for the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development "Step-Up" Program to Provide new Employment and Training Programs for Public Housing Residents and other Low-Income People

Honorable Chair Hee and Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor, thank you for the opportunity to provide you with comments regarding Senate Concurrent Resolution (SCR) 60, Senate Draft (SD) 1, urging the Hawaii Public Housing Authority (HPHA) to initiate the sponsorship process for the United Stated Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) "Step-Up" program to provide new employment and training programs for public housing residents and other low-income people.

The HPHA <u>supports the intent</u> of SCR 60. The HPHA has initiated the process to be a sponsor for the HUD "Step-Up" program and is working with all parties involved to provide our low-income public housing residents and other low-income people with employment and job training programs.

The HPHA appreciates the opportunity to provide the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor with the agency's comments regarding SCR 60, SD 1. Thank you very much for your dedicated support.

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