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TESTIMONY ON HOUSE BILL 2696 HD 1
A BILL RELATED TO THE MILITARY

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AND THE ARTS
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Good afternoon Chairperson Matthew LoPresti, Vice Chair Rep. Beth Fukumoto, Vice Chair members of the Committee on Veterans, Military & International Affairs, & Culture and the Arts.

I am MG Arthur J. Logan, Adjutant General, Director of Emergency Management and Director of Homeland Security. Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony in SUPPORTING of HB 2696 HD1.

One of the highest priorities for the Hawaii State Fusion Center is related to cyber security and the ability to analyze the cyber threats to state, county and private sector partners. The proposal of HB 2696 continues the development of the HRS Chapter 128 A and adds a critical component to the Hawaii Fusion Center, namely a Cyber Analyst. The vision of the Hawaii State Fusion Center is to share information to ensure our partners are equipped with the necessary tools to keep Hawaii safe, secure and resilient.

Cyber threats range from propaganda and low-level nuisance web page defacements to espionage and serious disruption with loss of life and extensive infrastructure disruption. Among the array of cyber threats, as seen today criminal organizations pose a threat to the US through their ability to conduct industrial espionage and monetary theft. Hackers pose a threat of an isolated or brief disruption causing disruption of service.

The Hawaii State Fusion Center through information sharing is important for the protection of critical infrastructure. The Hawaii State Fusion develops partnerships and shares substantive information with the private sector, which owns and operates the majority of the nation's critical infrastructure.

Duties of the Hawaii State Fusion Center analyst includes, but not limited to:

- Performing analysis of raw, primary, and secondary data derived from log analysis, net flow analysis, incident response, malware analysis computer penetration services;
- Produce daily, monthly, and/or ad-hoc, actionable intelligence products on emerging cyber incidents, risks, threats, events, or trends, in accordance with DHS intelligence standards;
- Serve on cyber working groups and Incident Response Teams; and
- Monitor a variety of classified, sensitive, partner, and open source reporting for cyber information relevant to partner and/ or the Fusion Center domain.

Thank you for allowing me to testify in **SUPPORT** of House Bill 2696 HD1