A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATED TO LAND USE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

- 1 SECTION 1. The office of planning, in consultation with
- 2 the land use commission, the real estate commission, and the
- 3 department of planning and permitting of the city and county of
- 4 Honolulu shall study the land subdivision and condominium
- 5 property regime laws, and how these laws interact with county
- 6 zoning ordinances, to:
- 7 (1) Determine whether they contain potential ambiguities,
- 8 omissions, or other deficiencies through which a
- 9 landowner might develop land contrary to the
- legislative intent of those laws; and
- 11 (2) Propose legislation to remedy any deficiencies found.
- 12 SECTION 2. In conducting its research for the study
- 13 required in section 1, the office of planning shall conduct a
- 14 public hearing to gather information from the general public.
- 15 SECTION 3. The office of planning shall submit a report of
- 16 its findings and recommendations, including any proposed

- 1 legislation, to the legislature no later than twenty days prior
- 2 to the regular session of 2020.
- 3 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2050.

Report Title:

Office of Planning; Land Use Commission; Condominium

Description:

Requires the Office of Planning, in consultation with the Land Use Commission, Real Estate Commission, and the Department of Planning and Permitting, to study and report on deficiencies in the land subdivision and condominium property regime laws that may result in land being developed contrary to the legislative intent of those laws. (HB861 HD1)

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Statement of **RODNEY FUNAKOSHI**

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HOUSE COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER PROTECTION & COMMERCE

Tuesday, February 12, 2019 2:00 PM State Capitol, Conference Room 329

in consideration of HB 861 HD1 RELATING TO LAND USE.

Chair Takumi, Vice Chair Ichiyama, and Members of the House Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce.

The Office of Planning (OP) appreciates the intent and offers **comments** on HB 861 HD1, which would task OP with convening the Land Use Commission, Real Estate Commission, and the City and County of Honolulu's Department of Planning and Permitting to study condominium property regime (CPR), subdivision, and zoning laws and ordinances to determine whether there are ambiguities or other deficiencies that might be remedied to improve conformance of condominium property regimes with State and county land use laws and ordinances.

While OP believes there is merit to the proposal, we are concerned that our current staff workload would hinder our ability to complete the study and report in the timeframe allotted.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify.

<u>HB-861-HD-1</u> Submitted on: 2/11/2019 11:23:26 PM

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Submitted E	y Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Dale Sandli	Hawaii Cattlemen Council	Support	No

Comments:

We support this measure, but ask for landowner input to improve the results of the outcome.

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Testimony for CPC on 2/12/2019 2:00:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jessica Fernandez	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

<u>HB-861-HD-1</u> Submitted on: 2/11/2019 4:38:47 PM

Testimony for CPC on 2/12/2019 2:00:00 PM

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Comments: