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SB749
RELATING TO ACTIONS FOR QUIET TITLE
Ke Kōmike Hale o ka Ho‘okolokolo

Pepeluali 25, 2020

10:01 a.m.

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The Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) **SUPPORTS** SB749, which seeks to address legal processes that have long been exploited, to forcibly sever Native Hawaiian families' connections to their ancestral lands.

Kuleana land parcels (kuleana), many of which have been passed down from original awardees through multiple generations of heirs, often represent the last vestige of the legal recognition originally granted to Native Hawaiian families' traditional tenure of ancestral lands. Today, maintaining a connection to family kuleana continues to be critical for many Native Hawaiians to maintain a connection to their ancestors and ancestral lands, as well as to uphold the traditional practices, lifestyles, and values that derive from their cultural and family heritage.

Unfortunately, legal mechanisms, such as quiet title and adverse possession, have often been used to forcibly sever the connection between Native Hawaiian families and their kuleana. Prior to the overthrow of the Hawaiian Kingdom government, quiet title actions were a beneficial legal tool for Native Hawaiian kuleana awardees to stave-off adverse possession claims made by encroaching large agricultural landowners. However, beginning in the Territorial era, changes to the quiet title process resulted in the use of quiet title actions to dispossess Native Hawaiian families of their kuleana. The current framework of quiet title action continues to leave kuleana vulnerable to dispossession, including through the use of complex and cost-prohibitive legal processes that effectively foreclose quiet title defendants, i.e. kuleana owners, from challenging quiet title actions and adverse possession claims.

SB749 seeks to address the various means by which the current quiet title framework has been exploited, to unfairly sever Native Hawaiians from lands held in their family for generations; furthermore, this measure attempts to better ensure that families are able to maintain traditional and cultural access to their kuleana parcels, notwithstanding the filing of a quiet title action against them.

Therefore, OHA urges the Committee to **PASS** SB749. Mahalo for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/23/2020 10:15:53 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Lopaka K Lonoaea	Testifying for Aloha Aina	Comments	No

Comments:

Anything to help out the people of Hawaii but I dont support the judge getting involved with the kingdom law this is not American law because this is still Hawaii not American..

KA LĀHUI HAWAII

KOMIKE KALAI'ĀINA

BEFORE THE SENATE JUDICARY COMMITTEE

Hawaii State Legislature, February 25, 2020

Senate Bill 749

Relating to Actions of Quiet Title

Aloha Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Keohokalole, and Members of the Committee,

The Ka Lahui Hawaii Political Action Committee (KPAC) supports Senate Bill 749

Relating to Actions of Quiet Title. Kuleana lands were granted to Kanaka Maoli tenant farmers between 1850 and 1855 and include gathering, access, and agricultural rights as well as the right to build a dwelling. Only 8,205 Kanaka Maoli received Kuleana lands that account for less than 1 percent of Hawaiian Kingdom lands. Many of these awards were adversely possessed by corporations like sugar and pineapple plantations but a precious few are still in the same families today keeping their ancestral tie to their lands. With Kanaka Maoli owning the worst socio economic, health and education statistics in the state it is imperative that the State of Hawai'i help Kanaka Maoli stay on their ancestral lands. As people of the land, the well-being of Kanaka Maoli is intrinsically tied to the 'āina.

This measure helps keep Kanaka Maoli families on their lands by alleviating the economic stress of defending themselves against Quiet actions. Having paid fees and taxes for these lands for 170 years many of these families don't have the economic means of hiring attorneys for costly court cases to defend their lands. KPAC supports the mandatory provisions in this measure for the following reasons:

1. Providing mandatory mediation helps to narrow down issues in dispute lowering costs of litigation especially for parties without attorneys. The sheer number family members that are usually involved makes this avenue a better route rather than going directly to court.
2. Consolidating separate quiet title actions into one for the same kuleana land award will keep costs down for the defendants and prevent the Plaintiff from saying one thing in one case and another in another case.
3. Language that states that the Plaintiff "shall not recover costs, expenses or attorney's fees from the defendant" is necessary because when quiet title action is brought together with a partition action, costs or fees usually become blurred.

KPAC respectfully request that the Judiciary strengthens this measure even more with the following amendment: The plaintiff shall not seek and shall not be awarded the extinguishment or alienation of the defendant's access to or through the land for native Hawaiian cultural and traditional practices present or historic access to other nearby parcels.

Respectfully submitted,

M. Healani Sonoda-Pale

Chair, Ka Lāhui Hawaii - Komike Kalai'āina

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Submitted on: 2/22/2020 8:43:00 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Leimomi Khan	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Support. This bill helps to alleviate the economic stress of defendants against Quiet actions. Many families don't have the economic means of hiring attorneys for costly court cases to defend their lands. Providing mandatory mediation helps to narrow down issues in dispute lowering costs of litigation especially for parties without attorneys.

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Submitted on: 2/23/2020 9:22:06 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kuuleinani Maunupau Gaspar	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I support SB749 and Kuleana Landowners

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Submitted on: 2/23/2020 9:35:54 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
mary drayer	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

please protect rightful owners from loosing their family lands - Mahalo

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/23/2020 9:29:57 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Malia Marquez	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted on: 2/23/2020 9:41:05 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Lynette Kaopuiki	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I am in support of SB 749/ and kuleana Land Owners

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#ProtectKuleanaLands #KeepHawaiianLandsinHawaiianHands

Sincerely,

Lynette Ka'opuiki

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Submitted on: 2/23/2020 9:50:51 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Roxane Stewart	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/23/2020 10:03:25 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Tara Rojas	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted on: 2/23/2020 10:23:25 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Katy Benjamin	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF SB 749 & KULEANA LAND OWNERS

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Katy Benjamin

Hilo, HI

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Submitted on: 2/23/2020 10:21:54 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Banner Fanene	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Aloha. Yes I support SB 749. Please move forward to passage. Mahalo

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/23/2020 10:50:46 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kaylene Sheldon	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Aloha e Committee On Judiciary,

Thank you Senators for your time and opportunity. My name is Kaylene Kauwila Sheldon. I am a registered voter and I support SB749. SB 749 helps keep Kanaka Maoli families on their lands by alleviating the economic stress of defending themselves against Quiet actions. Having paid fees and taxes for these lands for 170 years many of these families don't have the economic means of hiring attorneys for costly court cases to defend their lands. I SUPPORT SB 749 and the mandatory provisions in this measure for the following reasons:

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Please support this bill.

Mahalo nui loa,

Kaylene Kauwila Sheldon

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 1:02:35 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kimberly	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I support SB749. I'm not skilled at writing testimony so please bare with me. Large landowners should not be allowed to steal land from Kuleana landowners. Kuleana landowners have held on to their land for almost two centuries. They don't deserve to have that land stolen from them. Quiet title might be legal but just because something is legal does not make it right. Look what Mark Zuckerberg tried to do in 2016. He tried to kick Hawaiians off of their own land. That's just one example, but even he recognized that this was wrong because he dropped the lawsuits that he had against the people whose land he tried to take. Kuleana land rights are even recognized by the Hawai'i Supreme Court. However, there are plenty of instances in which the person trying to steal Kuleana lands is so greedy that they don't admit that what they're doing is wrong and they just continue to take peoples' land and the government lets them get away with it. This has to stop. I support Kuleana landowners.

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 5:47:00 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
GABRIELLA LOPEZ	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

My name is Gabriella Lopez and I support SB 749.

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Mahalo
Gabriella

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 6:36:42 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Tiffany Ibarra Duncan	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I support SB749.

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 1:45:17 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Robert Douglas	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 6:38:07 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jazzmin Cabanilla	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 6:50:18 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Brian Murphy	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Senate Judiciary Meeting
Tuesday, February 25, 2020
10:01 am
Room 016, Kapikala (Capitol)

Aloha Committee Chair, and committee members,

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Mahalo NUI,

Brian Murphy

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 6:51:27 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Mary Whispering Wind	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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Mahalo NUI,

Mary Whispering Wind

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 7:05:50 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jamie Moana Kawauchi	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I strongly support, SB749, Action for Quiet Title; Kuleana Lands:

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I appreciate your consideration and support for S.B. 749 in the passage of this Bill,
MAHALO NUI LOA!

Description:

Me Ke Aloha Pumehana,

Jamie M. Kawauchi

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SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 7:03:53 AM

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kelii ho	Individual	Support	No

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 8:23:04 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Steven Thomas	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/24/2020 7:25:08 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Nanea Lo	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Hello,

My name is Nanea Lo and I'm a lifelong resident of Hawai'i on O'ahu. I am writing to say that I fully support SB 749.

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Lori Halemano	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 8:35:54 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Shannon Rudolph	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Support

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 8:55:06 AM

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cheryl B.	Individual	Support	No

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 8:42:32 AM

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Tanya K.D. Alana	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Mary Lacques	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 11:40:02 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jeffrey Kekauoha-Schultz	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I support sb749 and ask that it be passed and make into law. Sb749 is a good start in the pursuit of righting the wrongful oppression of Native Hawaiians. Quite Title proceedings are oppressive to Hawaiian families in that they currently place the burden of proof, expense, time and travel on those families defending their birth right. Often times Hawaiian families facing these challenges struggle with the costs they pose. Sb749 takes the first step in addressing this issue and needs to be passed. Mahalo.

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 11:23:11 AM

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Joseph Kohn MD	Testifying for We Are One, Inc. - www.WeAreOne.cc - WAO	Support	No

Comments:

Support SB749

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Jamie A. Rodrigues	Individual	Support	No

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Lani Minihan	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Kuleana landowners have the right and have held on to their lands for 170 years. Quiet Tile is predatory stealing used by large landowners to swallow small parcels of Kuleana lands.

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Submitted on: 2/24/2020 9:44:55 PM

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Kapua Keliikoa-Kamai	Individual	Support	No

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1. Providing mandatory mediation helps to narrow down issues in dispute lowering costs of litigation especially for parties without attorneys. The sheer number of family members that are usually involved makes this avenue a better route rather than going directly to court.
2. Consolidating separate quiet title actions into one for the same kuleana land award will keep costs down for the defendants and prevent the Plaintiff from saying one thing in one case and another in another case.
3. Language that states that the Plaintiffs shall bear the cost of mediation or other court fees. There should be no situation where the defendants should have to bear the cost of mediation in order for someone trying to quiet title or "legally steal" their lands.

Simply put - Kuleana lands were set aside by King Kamehameha III, (Hawaiian Kingdom) for, and claimed by, our kupuna for perpetual familial agricultural, residential and economic Kanaka Maoli stability. That was the government's method of

minimizing property theft by land coveting neighbors and foreigners. SB749 is a good step in re-establishing governmental protection, legal parity and justice for Hawaii's aboriginal people to their ancestral lands. Please PASS SB749 out of your committee, mahalo.

Kapua Keliikoa-Kamai

Concerned Voting Kanaka Maoli

Wai'anae, Oahu

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SB-749

Submitted on: 2/25/2020 9:26:21 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Denise K Medeiros	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I support SB749 and Kuleana Landowners

SB 749 helps keep Kanaka Maoli families on their lands by alleviating the economic stress of defending themselves against Quiet actions.

Having paid fees and taxes for these lands for 170 years many of these families don't have the economic means of hiring attorneys for costly court cases to defend their lands.

I SUPPORT SB 749 and the mandatory provisions in this measure for the following reasons:

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3. Language that states that the Plaintiffs shall bear the cost of mediation or other court fees. There should be no situation where the defendants should have to bear the cost of mediation in order for someone trying to quiet title or "legally steal" their lands.
4. I would like to see added in S.B.No 749 - protection for kuleana lands that are landlocked and the need to address the continued access by prescription enforced. The kuleana land nor its owner/beneficiaries should not be subjected to the will of the surrounding lands. Their access to the kuleana must continue uninterrupted. The surrounding land owner cannot block access because the kuleana does not show on the maps of today where the access road is or was. The burden of proof must be born on to the Plaintiff with no opportunity to expect kuleana land owners to share the expense. The reason: When Plaintiffs block access or encompass the kuleana with a wall around their own parcel it is an active theft. It is in fact denying owners, tax

paying owners access and disregarding the law of the Hawaiian Kingdom by which the lands were acquired.

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 9:52:38 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Mary Nalauhala Pale

My email is healanipale@gmail.com

I reside at Kaluaaha, Molokai

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
749:-Kuleana lands were
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ancestral tie to their lands.

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yes

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yes

Additional Comments:

I am a Kuleana Land owner.

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 9:56:57 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Sally Thrasher

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Additional Comments: Please give these Kanaka Maoli their lands back, this is there home, do the right thing for the protectors of this aina.

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Keoki Kamaka

I reside at Capt Cook, HI

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Nolan Okalani Tallett

My email is okalani_6@msn.com

I reside at Honolulu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Leiala Cook

I reside at Waimanalo

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Bronze Fonoimoana

I reside at Kahuku, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Mahina Poepoe

My email is mahinal@hawaii.edu

I reside at Kaunakakai, Molokai

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Susan Rosier

I reside at Pahoa, Moku O Keawe

I am-Other:Kanaka Hawaii'iyes, Kanaka Hawai'i

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Additional Comments:

Counting on you folks to make this right for the people! Your constituents are not corporations!

From: [123ContactForm](#)
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Avery Thorpe

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Bronson Azama

My email is bazama02@gmail.com

I reside at Kane'ohe, O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**I am-Registered to vote in
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Leona Leialoha

I reside at Keaukaha, Hawaii Island

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Sharde Marshall

I reside at Ewa beach, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 10:42:58 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Ana Kahoopii

My email is keauea@hawaii.rr.com

I reside at Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is C Aronoff

I reside at Captain Cook

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**I am-Registered to vote in
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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 10:53:28 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kapua Medeiros

My email is kapua40@gmail.com

I reside at Waimanalo, O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

Aloha Committee Chair and Committee members, My 'ohana has lost many of their original kuleana lands due to the corrupt policies and illegal overthrow of our Hawaiian nation... please join me in Support of SB749 to protect all of the 'Ohana who have managed to Overcome adversity and have remained on their kuleana lands for generations! Mahalo for taking a stand and doing what is the only Pono thing to do! Aloha 'Aina mau a mau! 'O wau iho no, me ka ha'aha'a, Angela KB (Kapua) Medeiros, Direct Descendant of HRH Princess Theresa Owana Kaohelalani La'anui Wilcox

From: [123ContactForm](#)
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 10:56:30 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Terry Miller

My email is waiehu4u@gmail.com

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Jeffrey Kekauoha-Schultz

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments: This bill has been a long time coming.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 10:59:07 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Emmaline Padeken

My email is emmakaolu@gmail.com

I reside at Kaneohe, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Hawaii.** yes

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kaleleonalani Kekauoha-Schultz

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Additional Comments:

Protect Native Hawaiians from Quiet Title Attacks.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:04:01 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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Keohokalole** yes

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Stasey Butler

My email is staseyklb@gmail.com

I reside at Pearl City HI

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments:

Kuleana lands are in the hands of their rightful owners. No individual or entity should have a say to what happens to land that isn't theirs.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:05:35 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Teresa Robertson

My email is teresa.roles@gmail.com

I reside at Ewa Beach Oahu

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**I am-Registered to vote in
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:09:32 AM

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Raul Goodness

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:10:28 AM

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My name is Michael Hutchinson

I reside at Kapolei Oahu

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Additional Comments:

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:10:46 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Rebekah Luke

I reside at Kaaawa, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Additional Comments:

Mahalo.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:12:03 AM

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is R Vincent

I reside at Kapolei Oahu

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Additional Comments:

I support SB749

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:15:26 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Joseph Kohn MD

My email is joseph@WeAreOne.cc

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:24:41 AM

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Mary Jane Kahalewai

I reside at Kaunakakai,Molokai

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Additional Comments:	Example of quiet title ownership vs Ikuluana owners per said landtaxes paid by both parties may need satisfactory determination also as to how such claims came about in beginning of said quiet title transaction. If said descendants of documented, original families descendants is also charted on said luleana land claim despite families not directly related to each other, beknowst to current families of quiet title trans action, these families by right though not related da possiblity of quiet title descendant inheritance & their land taxes duly paid each year, collected by tax departments, ?, Possibility tax Dept. Over paid taxes to land by all kuleanna descendants as well as quiet title ones whose famy name or ancestor was inclusive with other original landowners. Some families need legal help with no financial means to clear up misinformation or lack thereof. An audit of land tax payment collected by tax Dept. Is necessary to also determine if kuleanna owners withbfere shared tax payments & if determined "true' ownership be allowed to a peaceful, rational meeting for a
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positive reconciliation., As many with quiet title deeds, may have malama said luleana land in substantial improvements at their expense & time & matters in these situations should be analyzed to the best of both parties, should one party exert their rights exclusively. If so taxes paid by quiet title landowners deserve to have their money back, improvement on said properties of kuleana landowners be prepared to reimburse said improvements per state land assessments. No one needs to be unable to fight for their rights, & have to pay for lawyers, this is where OHA comes in to check things out for betterment of Kuleana landowners, & quiet title inquires, Mahalo!

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/25/2020 10:43:00 AM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Rayne	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

SB-749

Submitted on: 2/25/2020 10:22:14 PM

Testimony for JDC on 2/25/2020 10:01:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Jennifer Azuma Chrupalyk	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

This is illegal under US Code! You don't have any right to take away our right to fight for a land that America has zero legal jurisdiction to in the first place.

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Trina Bashem

I reside at O'ahu 'Ewa Beach

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Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Bronson Kalipi

My email is bkalipi6@gmail.com

I reside at Kahananui, Molokai

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Committee:-Senator
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Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Bernadette DeLeon

My email is keikilanideleon@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu Oahu

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Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Other:Hawai'i Nationalyes, Hawai'i National

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Kahaka Patolo

My email is kahakapatolo07@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu Oahu

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Additional Comments:

Protect Kuleana land owners at all costs. Stop committing War crimes

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Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Ramona Okimoto

My email is teahi808@gmail.com

I reside at Laie, Oahu

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Additional Comments:

My ancestors signed the Ku'e Petitions of 1897 and my grandmother died while on the DHHL list. Stop oppression of our people in every way shape and form. Cease the perpetuating the ways of those who overthrew our monarchy and seized lands while this disenfranchisement of Kanaka Maoli continues to this day. We will stand until the last Aloha 'Aina!

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 12:09:11 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Kahealani Pavao-Mulec

My email is kmulec@yahoo.com

I reside at Keaau, Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Additional Comments:

I support the Ohana's fighting for their land. I am not a fan of Quiet Title!!

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
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Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 12:13:19 PM

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My name is Christy Kaolulo

My email is noheakaolulo@yahoo.com

I reside at Mountain View, Hawaii

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My name is Bal Patterson

My email is balpattersonaloha@gmail.com

I reside at Oahu

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Additional Comments:

It is important that each member of this Senate Judiciary Committee heed the voices of Kanaka Maoli and all other supporters of this bill. "Local" residents of many various cultural backgrounds stand in support of this bill for the simple reason that they support ethics in Hawaii. I urge you all to do everything in your power to ensure the protection of Kuleana lands. Respectfully, Bal Patterson

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 12:24:42 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Ranette Robinson

I reside at Hilo, Hawaii

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My name is Kekoa Kaaiawaawa

My email is Kkaaiawaawa@gmail.com

I reside at Wahiawa, O'ahu

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Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 12:32:13 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Donna Leong

My email is kealanui@live.com

I reside at Hilo, Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

Additional Comments:

Native Hawaiians are Land poor in their own ancestral origins. Kuleana lands were given to kanaka maoli for their life giving properties. Kanaka maoli have to defend constantly quiet titles which is costly to do. Therefore, I support Bill 749

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 12:55:50 PM

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My name is Arthur Kala

I reside at Kalihi, oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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My name is Susan Gashel

I reside at Oahu

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Gabbard** yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Andrea Ilima DeCosta

My email is adecosta808@icloud.com

I reside at Hawai'i

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Additional Comments:

Please respect the rights of kanaka maoli to fully access, develop and inhabit the lands of our kupuna. Mahalo.

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kalaniakea Wilson

My email is kupaa iwialoha@gmail.com

I reside at Hawaii Island

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Additional Comments:

Follow the laws of the land from the 1840 constitution, 1848 Mahele and te 1850 Kuleana Act. Stop stealing our lands.

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Keohokalole** yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Laurie Akana

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Boyd Bond

My email is byd007eo@gmail.com

I reside at Kapa'au, Hawai'i Island

**I am-Other:Native Hawaiian
born to citizens of the
Kingdom, within the
kingdom, prior to 1893, of
predominately European
ancestry.** yes, Native Hawaiian born to citizens of the Kingdom, within the kingdom, prior to 1893, of predominately European ancestry.

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

When, several generations since "Uncle" said we could use this land, now, all of a sudden we have to prove a line of decent that includes family branches that gave up interests long ago, to attempt to defend a challenge from an outside interest that is better prepared and better funded to push us aside before we can afford or prepare a response to this threat, then where do we go? Do we become wards of the State instead of independent, self-sustaining farmers? So that an outsider who might sell it away again in another decade

can care for this land instead? Will they care for it at all?

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Loretta Ritte

My email is lorettaritte@gmail.com

I reside at Hoolehua, molokai

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kamealoha Hanohano Pa Smith

My email is khs96703@gmail.com

I reside at Anahola, Kauai

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**I am-Registered to vote in
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Rene Bishaw

I reside at Waianae, Oshu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

Do what is right and respectful to the Kanaka Maoli . Listen with an open heart and mind vote for what is correct. Mahalo our

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My name is Henry Booth

My email is hbooth2000@gmail.com

I reside at Ewa Beach, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Regina Peterson

My email is nanipua@ahapunanaleo.org

I reside at Kapolei, O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 4:21:15 PM

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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kristen Reyes

My email is Kristenreyes808@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu,Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 4:26:29 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Mahealani Ahia

My email is maheamoon40@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Doreene Kealohanui

I reside at Waimanalo, O`ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

Additional Comments:

SB 749 helps keep Kanaka Maoli families on their lands by alleviating the economic stress of defending themselves against Quiet actions. Having paid fees and taxes for these lands for 170 years many of these families don't have the economic means of hiring attorneys for costly court cases to defend their lands. I SUPPORT SB 749 and the mandatory provisions in this measure for the following reasons: 1. Providing mandatory mediation helps to narrow down issues in dispute lowering costs of litigation especially for parties without attorneys. The sheer number of family members that are usually involved makes this avenue a better route rather than going directly to court. 2. Consolidating separate quiet title actions into one for the same kuleana land award will keep costs down for the defendants and prevent the Plaintiff from saying one thing in one case and another in another case. 3. Language that states that the Plaintiffs shall bear the

cost of mediation or other court fees. There should be no situation where the defendants should have to bear the cost of mediation in order for someone trying to quiet title or “legally steal” their lands.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Cynthia Cullen-Sotelo

I reside at Nanakuli, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

Additional Comments:

PLEASE, TAKE CARE THE KANAKAS!!!

From: [123ContactForm](#)
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 4:58:43 PM

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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Shayne Bingo

My email is s.bingo@yahoo.com

I reside at Kailua Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

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Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Sherry Vicente

My email is sherryhaunani1014@gmail.com

I reside at Pahoa Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 5:05:26 PM

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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Edlynn Kaanoi Espiritu

My email is ekaanoiespiritu@yahoo.com

I reside at Las Vegas, NV

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote
outside of Hawaii.** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Matthew "Makaio" Villanueva

My email is mailformattv@gmail.com

I reside at Waianae, o'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Scarlet Kamahele

My email is pikakek@msn.com

I reside at Kula Maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Trinette Furtado

I reside at Kula, Maui

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

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Committee:-Senator
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Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Donna Sterling

My email is dhelekunihi44@protonmail.com

I reside at Kahikinui maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Noelani Paresa

My email is NParesa76@gmail.com

I reside at Kahului maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Ku'u lei Ortiz

I reside at Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

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Additional Comments:

My kupuna have kuleana land and my brother claim lands

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 6:07:06 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Mapuana Lukela

My email is paulinekapulukela@gmail.com

I reside at Waianae

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

Additional Comments:

I support senate bill 749

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Georgina Mano

My email is gigimano@ymail.com

I reside at Lahaina Maui

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My name is Star Pai

I reside at Paho, Hawai'i

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Keohokalole** yes

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Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Sharron Cushman

My email is reikimastertaichichih@gmail.com

I reside at Hilo Hawaii Island

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

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Gabbard** yes

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My name is Adalina Delos Reyes

I reside at Kaunakakai Molokai 96748

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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My name is Edine Clemente

I reside at Ewa Beach, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Karen Martin

I reside at Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments:

Aloha mai kakou! I support senate bill 749. We are heirs to the land and our rights should be dealt with fairness especially since privatized kuleana lands were illegally sold for profit. Mahalo

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My name is Ka'imilani Hernandez

I reside at Kapolei, O'ahu

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My name is Sharra Dancel

I reside at Hilo, Hawai'i

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Kirie Santos

My email is kuunanilii@gmail.com

I reside at Pahoa, HI

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My name is Keoni Wills

My email is k_wills70@yahoo.com

I reside at Aiea Oahu

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Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Laulani Teale

My email is laulani@gmail.com

I reside at Kahalu‘u, O‘ahu

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Additional Comments:

Much more should be done. This is a start. Pleas pass this measure. Mahalo.

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Gabbard** yes

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Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

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My name is Annie Pedro

My email is anniepedro808@icloud.com

I reside at Kapolei, oahu

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Additional Comments:

Kuleana lands should be given to the rightful owners

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My name is Davienne Arakaki

I reside at Kapolei, O'ahu

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Date: Monday, February 24, 2020 9:34:47 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Ku'ike Kamakea-Ohelo

I reside at Waimanalo, Hawai'i

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

Additional Comments:

Aloha 'Aina.

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Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Pi‘ikea Everett

I reside at Kane‘ohe, O‘ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

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Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

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My name is Kawailani Kekino

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

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Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Rocky Tigilau

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Elizabeth-Ann Motoyama

My email is kahala.motoyama@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu, O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Additional Comments:

The taking of Kuleana Lands from those who have had that property in their family for 170 years, is egregiously unfair and considered a "Taking" under the U.S. Constitution. We should receive Notice and Due Process, especially if no dispute exists as to our ownership.

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Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Minnette C. Hokulani Kaikaina

I reside at Hilo, Hawai'i

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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Additional Comments:

Hana Pono- Do what is Right! Kuleana lands and Corporations? Hewa! - So wrong from the start. Ho'olohe i ka leo o na Kupuna! - Listen to the wisdom of the elders. Mahalo

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

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My name is Alvin Akee

My email is AkeeA001@hotmail.com

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments:

My ancestors never ever believed in land ownership. The 'aina is for the use of our people for sustenance and life. Land ownership is a FOREIGN CUSTOM and should not be allowed to be used as a "commodity" for profit or profiteering.

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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Committee:-Vice Chair
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Ekini Lindsey

I reside at O'ahu

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Gpua Goracorrea

My email is pua1010@yahoo.com

I reside at Honolulu hawaii

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Native Hawaiian** yes

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Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

You have a fiduciary responsibility to the people to not steal what the rightful owners own

From: [123ContactForm](#)
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My name is Charlotte Lyman

My email is lehuacharlotte24@gmail.com

I reside at Kane'ohe. O'ahu

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Additional Comments:

My Ohana has been trying to keep their kuleana lands on Maui for decades. it is time to right the wrong that has been done by this government. Put the lands back in Hawaiian hands where they belong we need the water and land to be sustainable. I thank you for your time.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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Committee:-Vice Chair
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My name is Shannon Rudolph

My email is shannonkona@gmail.com

I reside at Holualoa, Hawai'i Island

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Thomas Gallagher

My email is tpaulgallagher@yahoo.com

I reside at Wai'anae

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

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Additional Comments:

My good friend, Nova McKenzie, who passed away from cancer, spent years having to fight Turtle Bay over her kuleana rights. Those years could have been better spent focusing on her children and grand-children. Anything that provides assistance in any way to kuleana owner's should be supported out of a sense of moral obligation. I know that is a novel concept for you politicians but I hope you embrace it. Mahalo for your auppprt in,this. Do the right thing! T. Paul Gallagher (aka Mr. G)

From: [123ContactForm](#)
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My name is Ernest Cabatingan

My email is ernest.cabatingan@gmail.com

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

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I SUPPORT SENATE BILL

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I SUPPORT SENATE BILL

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yes

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 2:21:10 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kelley Streadbeck

I reside at Oahu

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 3:47:20 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kaylene Sheldon

My email is kauwilamahina@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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yes

Additional Comments:

Aloha, my great grandparents were given land from Kaukeaouli, Leileihoku and Ali'i Pōhaku that managed the Punalu'u and Hau'ula area. My grandmother had ten brothers and sisters who live on kuleana lands from Maliko lane to Hau'ula homestead. The lands in between Maliko to Hau'ula homestead was sold because my family could not afford the land taxes. These lands have helped my siblings and cousins from being homeless or out on the street. One of my relatives also has a puakenikeni and crown flower farm, every year she sews over 100 graduation leis. Another relative of mine will allow family members to use his space for baby luaus, reunions or invite people to harvest kalo. These family kuleana lands are also undeveloped, in pristine condition and

the makai to mauka area is cleaner than Waikiki.

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 4:28:33 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Toni Lawson Apana

My email is tonialawson.esq@gmail.com

I reside at WAILUKU, maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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yes

Additional Comments:

This has gone on long enough.

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 4:29:34 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Keith Apana

I reside at WAILUKU, maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments: Stop stealing land.

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Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 5:31:16 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Donavyn Futa

I reside at Kailua, O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments: I urge you to support the native people of this land. This would be just a single step in the right direction. But, this could show natives that they can have their interests represented in Hawai'i's government.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 5:35:19 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Aukai Camacho

I reside at Kailua, O’ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 5:36:05 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Bryan Moore

I reside at Pearl city, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Bernadette DeLeon

My email is keikilanideleon@gmail.com

I reside at Honolulu Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Other:Hawai'i Nationalyes, Hawai'i National

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments: I support SB749

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Denise Omura

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 5:47:11 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Charles Omura II

I reside at Honolulu, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 5:47:45 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Barbara Clemente

I reside at Ewa, Oahu

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 6:59:59 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Napua Johansen

My email is hawnsprite@gmail.com

I reside at Hilo, Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

KEEP HAWAIIAN LANDS IN HAWAIIAN HANDS.....

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 7:06:47 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Lehua Kaulukukui

I reside at Waikoloa

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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yes

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 7:59:32 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Jhernie Evangelista

My email is evangelista.jhernie@gmail.com

I reside at Waimea, Big Island

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Other:Spanish,
Portuguese, Filipino,
Korean, Chinese, White** yes, Spanish, Portuguese, Filipino, Korean, Chinese, White

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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like sugar and pineapple plantations but a precious few are still in the same families today keeping their ancestral tie to their lands.

I SUPPORT SENATE BILL 749:-Having paid fees and taxes for these lands for over 170 years many of these families don't have the economic means of hiring attorneys for costly court cases to defend their lands. ^{yes}

I SUPPORT SENATE BILL 749:-Mandatory mediation and consolidation of quiet title actions helps to reduce costs for Kanaka Maoli Kuleana land owners. ^{yes}

I SUPPORT SENATE BILL 749:-Consolidating separate quiet title actions into one for the same kuleana land award will keep costs down for the defendants and prevent the Plaintiff from saying one thing in one case and another in another case. ^{yes}

I SUPPORT SENATE BILL 749:-Plantiffs shall bear the cost of mediation or other court fees. There should be no situation where the defendants should have to bear the cost of mediation in order for someone trying to quiet title or "legally steal" their lands. ^{yes}

Additional Comments:	These quiet title agreements are predatory and disproportionately burden some of our most vulnerable citizens. We must give our people the chance to fight back in the face of further disenfranchisement.
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From: [123ContactForm](#)
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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 8:49:35 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Noenoe Lopes

I reside at Waianae, Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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yes

Additional Comments:

It's all illegal! Stop the Stealing of our land

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 8:53:16 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is David Lopes

I reside at Waianae, Hawaii

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Debralee Kailiwai-Ray

My email is kairay808@aol.com

I reside at Kailua Kona Hawaii (Mokupuni o Hawaii)

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Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 10:49:48 AM

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Luwella Leonardi

My email is kanakaoomaunawili@gmail.com

I reside at Waianae

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

Return Kuleana aina to rightful owners

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 12:17:09 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Leith Anderson

My email is leithhka@gmail.com

I reside at Waimanalo

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Additional Comments:

Stolen land continues

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 2:00:52 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Kyle Engel

My email is kylengel@gmail.com

I reside at Waikoloa village HI

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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My name is Kathleen Akau

I reside at Kailua. Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 6:46:36 PM

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Maile Lavea-Malloe

I reside at Hilo, Moku O Keawe

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments:

Keep Hawaiian Lands in Hawaiian Hands

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 7:07:51 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Nancy Iokepa

My email is haynsweetie96792@gmail.com

I reside at Nanakuli, Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
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Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Laura (Lala) Johnson

My email is lalaperto@gmail.com

I reside at Waihe'e, Maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Additional Comments:

We are dealing with Kuleana land issues. How is it possible that Resolutions created by the County isn't bring followed by what they write where land cannot be purchased until they have clear title. There are parcels with kuleana family names and yet they don't abide by their own Resolutions. Specifically, Maui County is one who purchases land with no clear title and have non profits to be the caretakers to preserve it.

From: [123ContactForm](#)
To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 11:50:12 PM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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**Dear Senate Judiciary
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My name is Shayna Podlewski

I reside at Wailuku, Maui

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
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yes

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To: [JDCTestimony](#)
Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
Date: Wednesday, February 26, 2020 12:55:59 AM

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Chair Rhoads** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Lanwood J. Aperto

My email is laperto@yahoo.com

I reside at Colorado

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

**I SUPPORT SENATE BILL
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granted to Kanaka Maoli
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Additional Comments:

I believe!

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Tatiana Young

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I reside at Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

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Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

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My name is Cheryl Lee-Kiyama

I reside at Nanakuli,Oahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

I am-Not registered to vote. yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Rayna Arkangel

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I reside at Hilo, Hawaii

**I am-non-Kanaka Maoli aka
non-Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Tracie Muraki

My email is hblfstyles@hotmail.com

I reside at Wahiawa O'ahu

**I am-Kanaka Maoli aka
Native Hawaiian** yes

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Subject: Testimony in SUPPORT of Senate Bill 749
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Committee:-Vice Chair
Keohokalole** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator
Gabbard** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Kim** yes

**Dear Senate Judiciary
Committee:-Senator Fevella** yes

My name is Ola Jenkins

My email is ola.jenkins@gmail.com

I reside at Hilo, Hawaii

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Native Hawaiian** yes

**I am-Registered to vote in
Hawaii.** yes

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