



March 23, 2021

Aloha Chair and Committee Members:

On behalf of the Kona Coffee Farmers Association (KCFA), please accept this testimony in support of SR217.

Our non-profit is a membership organization of 208 current active members. The purpose of KCFA is to support and protect the economic interests of Kona coffee farmers, and the nearly 200 years of heritage of Kona coffee.

Working closely with our Senators, we continue to strive to ensure that coffee products of Hawaii are protected. This means that a Resolution, as introduced by Senator Acasio, must be paid attention to, since through proper advance actions by entities such as the Hawaii Department of Agriculture, pests and diseases can be stopped before entering our pristine state.

Please encourage and support this effort.

Many thanks for the opportunity to testify and share the position of our farmer-based coffee organization.

Yours,

Colehour Bondera
President, Board of Directors



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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Andrea Quinn	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Dear Honorable Committee Members,

Please support SCR217.

Thank you,

Andrea Quinn