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April 13, 2023

- Testimony To: Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Senator Jarrett Keohokalole, Chair
- Presented By: Tim Lyons, CAE Executive Director
- Subject: GM 626 Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Pest Control Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, JONATHAN MONTALBO, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.

Chair Keohokalole and Members of the Committee:

I am Tim Lyons, Executive Director of the Hawaii Pest Control Association and we support this nomination.

Jonathan Montalbo has already served on the Pest Control Board and has done an admirable job in looking after both the interests of consumers and pest control operators on issues that come before the Pest Control Board. We think it very important to continue to have appointees of his quality and therefore it is with great pleasure that we recommend your advice and consent of this nomination.

Thank you.

Testimony of the Pest Control Board

Before the House Committee on Consumer Protection and Commerce Thursday, April 13, 2023 10:00 a.m. Conference Room 229 and Videoconference

On the following measure: G.M. 626, SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION TO THE PEST CONTROL BOARD, GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE, JONATHAN MONTALBO, FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 06-30-2027

Chair Keohokalole and Members of the Committee:

My name is Lei Ana Green, and I am the Executive Officer for the Pest Control Board (Board). The Board supports the appointment of Jonathan Montalbo to the Board as a licensee member.

Mr. Montalbo has been a licensed pest control operator since January 8, 2007, and his license is current, valid, and in good standing.

Mr. Montalbo served two previous terms on the Board. During that time, he served on the Applications Review Committee, as vice chairperson, and as chairperson in the final year of his term. Mr. Montalbo's dedication to the industry and to the public was evident in his active participation during board meeting discussions, and he devoted additional time outside of board meetings to carry out his responsibilities as a member of the Board. He was an experienced and reliable member.

The insight that Mr. Montalbo has gained over his years of experience as a licensed pest control operator, his interest in again serving on the Board, and his continued desire to serve the public, will again contribute to the Board's effectiveness.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

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| Gerard Silva | Individual | Oppose | Written Testimony Only |

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