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**SB784**  
**RELATING TO AIRLINES**

Senate Committee on Transportation and Culture and Arts

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The Department of Transportation (DOT) **supports** this bill which establishes a one-year pilot program to provide subsidies to airlines operating out of Molokai Airport and Lanai Airport.

The services to the communities of Molokai and Lanai could be enhanced by competition between multiple carriers servicing the market. This one-year pilot program will encourage increased air carrier operations out of Molokai and Lanai.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

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Comments:

I support SB784.

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Comments:

I am in support of SB 784.  
Thank you, Faith Tuipulotu

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Comments:

I AM IN STRONG STRONG SUPPORT ON SB 784.

**LATE**

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Comments:

Aloha Chair Lee, Vice Chair Inouye and Committee Members

Mahalo for your time and consideration. I AM IN STRONG SUPPORT in SB 784.