

**Testimony of the Pest Control Board**

**Before the  
Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection  
Monday, March 30, 2026  
9:30 a.m.  
Conference Room 229 & Via Videoconference**

**On the following measure:  
G.M. 592, SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION  
TO THE PEST CONTROL BOARD,  
GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE, TERRANCE MANAGO,  
FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 06-30-2029**

Chair Keohokalole and Members of the Committee:

My name is Young-Im Wilson, and I am the Executive Officer of the Pest Control Board (Board). The Board supports the confirmation of Mr. Terrance Manago's reappointment as a licensee member to the Pest Control Board.

Mr. Manago has been licensed as a pest control operator since November 22, 2000, and his license remains current, active, and in good standing. He has served on the Board since July 2013 and currently serves as Chair. In addition, he is a diligent and active contributor to both the Applications Review Committee and the Examination Review Committee.

Mr. Manago's participation in Board discussions consistently reflects his industry expertise and strong understanding of Board matters. His extensive experience as a licensed pest control operator, combined with his continued willingness to serve, will further enhance the effectiveness of the Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.



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Testimony To: Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection  
Senator Jarrett Keohokalole, Chair

Presented By: Steven Russo  
HPCA President

Subject: GM 592 – Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Pest Control Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, TERRANCE MANAGO, for a term to expire 06-30-2029.

Chair Keohokalole and Members of the Committee

I am Steven Russo, President of the Hawaii Pest Control Association and I strongly support the appointment of Terrance Manago to the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs Pest Control Board. Mr. Manago has extensive knowledge of the pest control industry and is an actively engaged member of our association. He can be trusted to fulfill his responsibilities with a high level of commitment and professionalism, bringing valuable experience as both a Pest Control Operator and a former board member.

Thank you.

**GM-592**

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Testimony for CPN on 3/30/2026 9:30:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Rene Mansanas	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

Chair and Members of the Board / Committee  
Hawai'i Pest Control Board (DCCA) Confirmation Hearing

GM592 Confirmation Hearing  
Monday, March 30, 2026, 9:30 AM  
Conference Room 229, Hawai'i State Capitol

**RE: Confirmation of Terrance Manago to the Hawai'i Pest Control Board  
POSITION: In Support**

Aloha Chair and Members,

My name is Rene Mansanas, and I am writing in strong support of the confirmation of Terrance Manago to serve on the Hawai'i Pest Control Board.

Terrance Manago brings a strong sense of responsibility, integrity, and commitment to public service. His background and experience demonstrate a clear understanding of the importance of protecting public health, ensuring safe and effective pest management practices, and upholding regulatory standards that safeguard both consumers and the environment.

The work of the Hawai'i Pest Control Board is critical in maintaining professional standards within the industry while protecting the health and safety of our communities. Mr. Manago's thoughtful approach, leadership, and dedication to serving the people of Hawai'i will make him a valuable asset to the Board.

I am confident that he will carry out his duties with diligence and fairness, contributing positively to the Board's mission and responsibilities.

For these reasons, I respectfully urge you to confirm Terrance Manago to the Hawai'i Pest Control Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

Sincerely,  
Rene Mansanas



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Senator Jarrett Keohokalole, Chair  
Senator Carol Fukunaga, Vice Chair

Presented By: Tim Lyons, CAE

Subject: GM 592 - Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Pest Control Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, TERRANCE MANAGO, for a term to expire 6-30-2029.

Chair Keohokalole, Vice Chair Fukunaga and Members of Committee:

I am Tim Lyons and I support this nomination.

Mr. Manago is a past president of the Hawaii Pest Control Association and has been intimately involved in the affairs of the Association by serving on a variety of Committees over the years. This has allowed him to have first-hand experience over the operations of other pest control operators and be in a position to determine the challenges and the issues that confront pest control operators on a daily basis.

This is a reappointment for Mr. Manago who has previously served on the Pest Control Board. We find that Mr. Manago has been observant of the consumer needs from the pest control industry and since he comes from industry he also has that perspective. He has performed his duties in a balanced manner.

Based on the above, we support this nomination and respectfully request your advise and consent.

Thank you.