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LINDA LINGLE
GOVERNOR

January 27, 2006

The Honorable Robert Bunda
President of the Senate
Twenty-Third State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 003
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill No. 2310 which makes an emergency appropriation and authorization for \$5,785,448 from general funds to allow the Department of Education (DOE) to meet the projected shortfall for student transportation for fiscal year 2005-2006.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The DOE will be available to answer any questions you may have on this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda Lingle".

LINDA LINGLE

c: The Honorable Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair
Senate Committee on Ways and Means

The Honorable Norman Sakamoto, Chair
Senate Committee on Education & Military Affairs