
HOUSE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING D.H. HORTON TO SELL LAND PRESENTLY IN AGRICULTURAL
CULTIVATION TO AN AGRICULTURAL INTEREST TO PRESERVE THE
AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES ON THE LAND.

1 WHEREAS, D.H. Horton recently purchased approximately one
2 thousand six hundred acres of land on the Ewa plains from
3 Campbell Estate; and
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5 WHEREAS, a portion of those lands are prime agricultural
6 lands leased to farmers under leases that were originally
7 extended by the Campbell Estate; and
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9 WHEREAS, these farmers are presently actively cultivating
10 crops on those lands for sale on the local fresh produce market;
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13 WHEREAS, in addition to their agricultural benefits, the
14 farming activities of these farmers provide respite in the form
15 of an aesthetically pleasing green belt, to the expanding urban
16 growth on the Ewa plains; and
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18 WHEREAS, these farmers would like to continue to farm the
19 lands and not have to relocate to other lands that may not have
20 the necessary agricultural infrastructural support required for
21 active agricultural activities; now, therefore,
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23 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
24 Twenty-fourth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
25 Session of 2007, that D.H. Horton is requested to make the lands
26 that are presently under cultivation by current farmers
27 available for either:
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- 29 (1) Purchase by these farmers or other agricultural
30 parties that desire to continue agricultural
31 activities on the land; or



(2) A long-term agricultural lease of the lands with these farmers or other agricultural parties that desire to continue agricultural activities on the land; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Resolution be transmitted to Mr. Michael Jones, President, Schuler Division, and D.H. Horton.

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