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LINDA LINGLE
GOVERNOR

January 28, 2008

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Madam President:

I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill 3068, which makes an emergency appropriation of \$10 million in general funds for the Adult Mental Health Division in the State Department of Health to cover higher enrollment and per capita costs.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The Department of Health will be available to answer any questions you or your staff may have.

Sincerely,

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

LINDA LINGLE

c: The Honorable David Ige, Chair
Senate Committee on Health

The Honorable Rosalyn Baker, Chair
Senate Committee on Ways and Means