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Friday, March 7, 2008
9:00 a.m.

TESTIMONY ON GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 316.

TO THE HONORABLE RUSSELL S. KOKUBUN, CHAIR,
AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Department") thanks you for the opportunity to testify on Governor's Message No. 316, regarding the **reappointment** of Randall G. Burnett to the Pest Control Board ("Board"). The Department supports the confirmation of Mr. Burnett's reappointment to the Board.

Mr. Burnett is being reappointed to the Board as a pest control operator licensee member. He has been licensed since July 31, 1995, and his license is current, active, and in good standing.

Mr. Burnett has served on the Board from July 1, 2004 to present. He is a diligent and contributing member who takes his commitment to public service seriously. Mr. Burnett shares valuable insights that he has gained over his many years of

experience as a licensed pest control operator and contributes meaningfully to Board discussions. We believe that Mr. Burnett's interest in serving on the Board, his experience in the profession, and his desire to contribute to the community will continue to enhance the effectiveness of the Board.

The Department supports the confirmation of Mr. Burnett to the Pest Control Board, and thanks you for the opportunity to provide testimony.



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Testimony To: Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Affordable Housing
Senator Russell S. Kokubun, Chair

Presented By: Tim Lyons, CAE
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Subject: GM 316 – Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Pest Control Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, RANDALL J. BURNETT, for a term to expire 6-30-2012.

Chair Kokubun and Members of the Committee:

I am Tim Lyons, Executive Director of the Hawaii Pest Control Association and we are in support of this nomination.

Randy Burnett and his company has been a member of the Association since 1995. In that time, we have found him to be a member who keeps himself up to date with the various activities of the pest control industry and one who is always trying to better his operation.

This would be the second term for Randy Burnett on the Pest Control Board and we hope that you will confirm him as the nominee.

Thank you.