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March 9, 2008

Honorable Representative Joseph M. Souki, Chair  
Honorable Representative Scott Y. Nishimoto, Vice Chair  
Members of the House Committee on Transportation  
Hawaii State Capital  
415 South Beretania Street  
Honolulu, HI 96813

RE: IN SUPPORT OF SB 2441  
RELATING TO HIGHWAYS  
Hearing: Monday, March 10, 2008, 10:00 a.m.

Dear Chair Souki, Vice Chair Nishimoto and the Committee on Transportation:

For the Record my name is Buzz Hong the Executive Director for the Hawaii Building & Construction Trades Council, AFL-CIO. Our Council is comprised of 16-construction unions and a membership of 26,000 statewide.

The Council supports the passage of SB2441, which exempts state highway projects from county subdivision approvals regarding highway projects that involve acquisitions.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony in support of SB2441.

Sincerely,

William "Buzz" Hong  
Executive Director

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