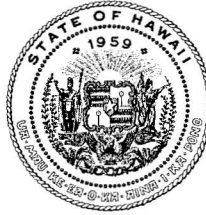


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**TESTIMONY OF THE CHAIRPERSON
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**On Senate Concurrent Resolution 210 – REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO
REVIEW THE ACTION OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES
RELATING TO A LAND EXCHANGE**

**BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
WATER, LAND, OCEAN RESOURCES, AND HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS**

April 17, 2008

Senate Concurrent Resolution 210 requests the Legislature to review the action of the Board of Land and Natural Resources relating to a land exchange (between Tiana Partners and Hawaiian Humane Society and the State of Hawaii). The Department of Land and Natural Resources (Department) supports this resolution.

The Department has been working with Tiana Partners and the Hawaiian Humane Society on this land exchange. The Board of Land and Natural Resources gave its final approval of this land exchange on December 14, 2007. The State will be receiving Parcel 2 (263 acres) valued at \$710,000. The Department's Division of Forestry & Wildlife considers Parcel 2 to be a good addition to the public holdings within the Honolulu Watershed Forest Reserve for watershed protection and other public uses.

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HEARING DATE: April 17, 2008, 11:30 a.m.
SUBJECT: SCR 210 -- REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE TO REVIEW THE ACTION OF THE
BOARD OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES RELATING TO A LAND EXCHANGE

The Hawaiian Humane Society supports Senate Concurrent Resolution 210, requesting a land exchange between Tiana Partners, the Hawaiian Humane Society and the State of Hawaii Department of Land and Natural Resources, and asks the House Committee on Water, Land, Ocean Resources and Hawaiian Affairs to do the same.