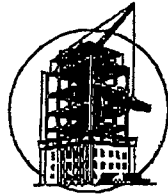


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RE: **IN SUPPORT OF HB 426, HD1**
Relating to the issuance of Special Purpose Revenue Bonds
to assist Seawater Air Conditioning projects on Oahu.
Hearing: Thursday, April 2, 2009, 9:30 a.m., Room 211

ALCOLM K. AHLO
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Dear Chair Mercado Kim, Vice Chair Tsutsui and the Senate Committee
on Ways and Means:

REGINALD CASTANARES
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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.

ADDEUS TOMEI
Water Constructors Local 128

JOSEPH BAZEMORE
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Local 1944

The Council SUPPORTS the passage of HB 426, HD1 that authorizes
the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds to Honolulu
Seawater Air Conditioning, LLC, for the purpose of design and
construction of a seawater air conditioning district cooling system in
downtown Honolulu.

CHARLES TACGERE
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Ironworkers Local Union 1889

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Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony in support
of HB 426, HD1.

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Sincerely,

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