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Honorable Senator Mike Gabbard, Chair  
Honorable Senator J. Kalani English, Vice Chair  
Members of the Senate Committee on Energy and Environment  
Hawaii State Capital  
415 South Beretania Street  
Honolulu, HI 96813

RE: **IN SUPPORT OF SB 2544**  
RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL PURPOSE REVENUE  
BONDS TO ASSIST HONOLULU SEAWATER AIR CONDITIONING  
LLC PROJECTS ON THE ISLAND OF OAHU.  
Hearing: Thurs., Feb. 4, 2010, 3:00 p.m., Room 225

Dear Chair Gabbard, Vice Chair English, and the Senate Committee on  
Energy and Environment:

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 SB 2544 that extends the  
authorization to issue special purpose revenue bonds for Honolulu  
Seawater Air Conditioning LLC.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony in support  
of SB 2544.

Sincerely,

William "Buzz" Hong  
Executive Director

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