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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 2563**
RELATING TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY.
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 2563** that amends the
lead by example goals of state energy efficiency to target 30%
energy efficiency by 2030.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony in support
of **SB 2563**.

Sincerely,

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