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TESTIMONY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

SENATE BILL NO. 2757

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, INTERNATIONAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

The Department of Transportation strongly supports this bill, proposed by the Administration, as we believe it will provide for greater consistency between the various identification cards and licenses in Hawaii.

This bill amends the validity period of a commercial driver's license (CDL) for people between the ages of 21 and 71 years old, from six to eight years, the maximum license validity period allowed by the REAL ID Act, which is a nationwide effort to improve the integrity and security of state- issued driver licenses and identification cards.



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TESTIMONY BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, INTERNATIONAL & INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS ON SB 2757 RELATING TO COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSING

Thank you Chair English and committee members. I am Gareth Sakakida, Managing Director of the Hawaii Transportation Association (HTA) with over 400 transportation related members throughout the state of Hawaii.

Hawaii Transportation Association supports this bill.

Thank you.