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**TESTIMONY OF ROBERT TOYOFUKU
IN SUPPORT OF S.C.R. No. 38 RECOMMENDING THAT THE KAPOLEI
COURT COMPLEX BE RENAMED THE "RONALD T.Y. MOON JUDICIAL
COMPLEX"**

February 23, 2010

My name is Bob Toyofuku and I am submitting this testimony in strong support of S.C.R. No. 38.

I have known Chief Justice Moon for many decades and had the opportunity to work with him on several projects involving the Hawaii State Judiciary. I had the privilege of being involved in the creation of the Judicial Education Center, serving as a member on the Judicial Arbitration Commission as well as a member on the Judicial Council. I have been able to witness first hand his dedication to continually working to improve the Judiciary and his support of all of the judges and Judiciary staff.

The body of this concurrent resolution clearly states his accomplishments throughout his career in public service. He was not only one of the best trial judges when he was on the Circuit Court but has been a decisive and tireless leader as Chief Justice of the Hawaii State Supreme Court. Also, besides being the head of the Judiciary he continually wrote many opinions throughout his career as a justice on the Supreme Court.

I think that it is fitting to name the Kapolei Court Complex in his honor for his many years of service to the Hawaii State Judiciary and the many accomplishments which helped to create a better legal system and provide better access to justice.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of this resolution.