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TESTIMONY OF ALAPAKI NAHALE-A, CHAIRMAN
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BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS
IN SUPPORT OF

HB 1438, RELATING TO HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS

February 9, 2011

Chair Hanohano, Vice-Chair Lee and Members of the Committee:

The Department of Hawaiian Home Lands (DHHL) strongly supports Section 3 of HB 1438 which authorizes the issuance of general obligation bonds for the purpose of building the water infrastructure system to support our pastoral lessees in Honokaia. Providing water infrastructure is one of the biggest challenges DHHL must address when developing agricultural and pastoral homesteads.

Further, the DHHL is open to providing the additional information outlined in Section 1 of this bill and is also open to preparing the report described in Section 2. This request does not need to be legislated.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide these comments.

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