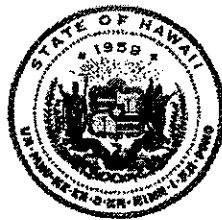


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March 17, 2011

Committee on Public Safety and Military Affairs
Representative Henry J.C. Aquino, Chair
Representative Ty Cullen, Vice Chair
Members of the Committee

RE: S.B. No. 11

Aloha Chair Aquino, Vice Chair Cullen and Members of the Committee,

Aloha my name is Lieutenant Patrick Sniffen, Commander of the Maui Section (Maui, Lanai, & Molokai), Sheriff Division. I would like to submit my support and endorsement of S.B. No. 11 that would create a task force to plan for the establishment of a department of the Sheriff.

This task force would be crucial and beneficial for the Sheriff Division in its transition from Division to Department. The transfer and exchange of information would be invaluable in the founding of this new department.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit my testimony supporting S.B. No. 11.

Mahalo

Sincerely Yours,

Patrick H. Sniffen, Lieutenant, Commander
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Comments:

Aloha again committee members. I humbly ask that you once again support SB11. Since the creation of PSD to this present time, the Sheriff division has never had in service training from the department and had to have creative funding to send people to classes that taught updated life saving tactics. Again, please support this measure so we may finally be proactive, and not reactive and negligent, in our duties. Thank you for your time.