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Comments:

Chair Sen. David Ige, and Honorable Members Senate WAM Committee

We support the intent of the SB 1309 and its companion bill HB 1084.

However, other than request an effective date of July 1, 2011, since this legislation will dilute the General Fund, we request that language be inserted into the bill to insure that this Special Fund is permitted to exist at the expense of the General Fund beneficiaries.

As a start-up revenue source for the LT GOV office, the measure has great merit.

Recommend a sunset date of January 1, 2018, subject to renewal in January 31, 2017. With these provisions, we urge that WAM Committee recommend approval to the Senate Floor.

Mahalo for this opportunity to provide written testimony.

Me Ke Aloha Pumehana,

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