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Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Community Development Authority, Gubernatorial Nominee, MILES KAMIMURA, for a term to expire 6-30-2014.





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## STATEMENT OF

## ANTHONY J. H. CHING, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

## BEFORE THE

SENATE COMMITTEE ON WATER, LAND, AND HOUSING

Thursday, March 8, 2012

1:20 P.M.

State Capitol, Conference Room 225

G. M. 592 - SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION TO THE HAWAII COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE, MILES KAMIMURA, FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 6-30-2014.

Upon his nomination by the Honolulu City Council, Mr. Kamimura and I conversed on a couple of occasions regarding the requirements and responsibility for serving on the Hawaii Community Development Authority ("Authority") board. It was evident to me that his professional experience in real estate affords him a clear understanding of planning and development issues in the State of Hawaii. He has an extensive background in property management, leasing, sales and consulting services in the area of commercial and industrial real estate.

Based on Mr. Kamimura's willingness to serve and his extensive knowledge and experience of commercial real estate matters, I believe that Mr. Kamimura is well qualified to serve and will bring a critically important perspective as a member of the Authority. I offer my support for his confirmation by the State Senate and urge your favorable consideration of his nomination.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide these comments in support of his nomination.