

TESTIMONY OF ROBERT TOYOFUKU IN SUPPORT OF
THE NOMINATION OF KEVIN P.H. SUMIDA
TO THE COMMISSION TO PROMOTE UNIFORM LEGISLATION

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To: Chairman Clayton Hee and Members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor:

My name is Bob Toyofuku and this testimony is being submitted in support of the nomination of Kevin Sumida to the Commission to Promote Uniform Legislation.

I have been a Commission member for over 30 years and am currently a life member of the Uniform Law Commission (National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws). Mr. Sumida has served as a Hawaii Commissioner for the past seven years and I can clearly state that he has been a valuable member of the Uniform Law Commission. Kevin has been an active member of the Commission. He currently serves on two drafting committees of the Commission, has participated in the discussions and deliberations at each annual meeting, and has represented the views of the Hawaii Commission on various uniform acts which are submitted each year at the state legislature. I am confident that he will continue to contribute to the Hawaii Commission and the Conference during his next term as commissioner.

I strongly support his nomination. Thank you for the opportunity to submit this testimony.