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Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Aerospace Advisory Committee, Gubernatorial Nominee, FRANK OLIC, for a term to expire 6-30-2013.



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Senator Will Espero Chairman Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs Committee Hawaii State Capitol, Room 231 415 S. Beretania Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Senator Espero:

I am delighted to submit this letter of recommendation on behalf of Mr. Frank Olic to serve as a mainland industry representative on the State of Hawaii's Aerospace Advisory Committee (HAAC).

As acting director for the Raytheon Company's Federal and Civil Capability Team, Mr. Olic currently oversees marketing and business development related to Raytheon's products and services as contracted by U.S. federal departments and agencies. He also supervises marketing of these products and services to both state and local governments and to the private sector — in total, representing over \$4 billion in revenue. In addition, Mr. Olic has served as Raytheon's U.S. business development manager for the company's FAA and Homeland Security programs, and acquired substantial knowledge of military aerospace operations during his 32-year career with the U.S. Navy.

In light of Mr. Olic's extensive background in the field of aerospace, I believe he is exceptionally well qualified to serve as a mainland aerospace industry representative on the HAAC. I therefore <u>strongly</u> support his nomination to this position, and would be happy to address any questions in relation to his confirmation.

With Aloha and best wishes,

Jim Crisafulli, Director

Office of Aerospace Development

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Subject:

Nomination of Frank Olic to the Hawai'i Aerospace Advisory Committee

Senator Espero, Chairman Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations and Military Affairs Hawaii State Senate State Capitol of Hawaii 415 S. Beretania Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Senator Espero,

I am writing/submitting this letter in strong support of Frank Olic's nomination to serve on the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee HAAC).

As a recent member of the HAAC, I have been priviledged to work on this Committee to further Hawaii's Aerospace Initiatives.

Frank Olic has worked for me for the past 10 years as Raytheon's Director of Air Traffic Control Programs and Aerospace activities. He has supported my efforts as the Industry representative on the HAAC for the past two years and is very familiar with their work. He initiated several recommendations which I proposed to the Committee and are under consideration. Frank has great influence within the FAA and other Aerospace industry organizations and is called upon to support Air Traffic and Aerospace initiatives throughout the United States.

Raytheon is the one of the premiere ATC and Aerospace organizations around the world. Over 60% of the world air traffic is controlled by Raytheon equipment. Frank is Raytheon's representative to this worldwide presence and would bring a great deal of expertise and critical thinking to the HAAC. He was my best worker at Raytheon and acknowledged around the world as an Air Traffic Control and Aerospace Expert. I most highly recommend Frank Olic for the Industry position on the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee.

Very Respectfully

Rocklin E. Gmeiner Jr.

Senator Espero, Chairman
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Dear Senator Espero,

In response to your letter of 2 April 2012 requesting a written statement regarding my nomination to the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee, I wish to be a member of the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee to help promote aerospace development in Hawaii.

I have over 40 years experience in the aerospace industry. I have functioned as an air traffic controller, an air traffic facility manager (at numerous sites including Hawaii), an officer in charge of air traffic control maintenance and operator schools, and a resource sponsor for all US Navy and Marine Corps Air Traffic Control programs. The total budget for these Air Traffic Control programs was over \$1 billion. I am currently responsible for Federal and Civil Business Development for Raytheon Company, concentrating my efforts on the Federal Aviation Administration. I am a member of numerous aerospace organizations including the Aerospace Industries Association (voting member on the Civil Aviation Council), RTCA, Air Traffic Control Association, Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association, and the American Association of Airport Executives. Because of my background, I understand the aerospace industry and I continue to be involved with it on a daily basis. Being located near Washington D.C., I stay abreast of Congressional and Administration actions that affect the aerospace industry. My extensive background and current daily involvement in the Aerospace industry will aid me in my decision-making ability as a member of the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee.

During my term of service I hope to assist the Hawaii Aerospace Advisory Committee in monitoring, assessing, and promoting aerospace development within Hawaii.

I do not foresee any possible conflicts of interest.

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