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TESTIMONY OF ALAPAKI NAHALE-A, CHAIRMAN HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS IN SUPPORT OF

HB 2529, RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HAWAIIAN HOME LANDS

February 1, 2012

Chair Hanohano, Vice-Chair Lee and Members of the Committee:

The Department of Hawaiian Home Lands strongly supports HB 2529, which allows the department to create its own procurement requirements for any expenditure of trust funds less than \$250,000. This bill is part of the Governor's administrative package by request of our department.

The department currently operates without the support of general funds, and depends wholly on its trust fund resources. Procurement flexibility on small purchases allows the department to expend trust funds more efficiently to better respond to and address the needs of trust beneficiaries. This flexibility would maintain fairness and transparency, while reducing barriers for Hawaiian homestead associations and organizations to compete as vendors and service providers. Further, streamlined procurement processes for small purchases expedite contract awards which potentially create jobs.

Mahalo for the opportunity to testify in strong support of this important measure.

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