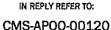
SB 2338

RELATING TO COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

Description:

Exempts from the administrative procedures act the requirement that the adoption, amendment, or repeal of any rule by any county agency shall be subject to the approval of the county mayor. Provides rule-making authority to the county semi-autonomous public transit agencies, including the Honolulu authority for rapid transportation.





HONOLULU AUTHORITY for RAPID TRANSPORTATION

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The Honorable Will Espero, Chair
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and Members of the Committee on Public Safety,
Government Operations, and Military Affairs
State Senate
Hawaii State Capitol
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Espero, Vice Chair Kidani, and Senators:

Subject: SB 2338 Relating to County Administrative Procedures

Committee on Public Safety, Government Operations, and Military Affairs

Tuesday, February 7, 2012, at 2:45 PM

The Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation (HART) supports Senate Bill 2338.

Senate Bill 2338 would provide HART with the necessary rule-making authority to function as a semi-autonomous agency of the City and County of Honolulu, and would be consistent with language specified by the City Charter.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kenneth Toru Hamayasu

Interim Executive Director and CEO

cc: HART Board