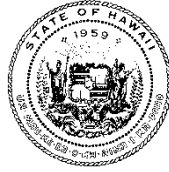


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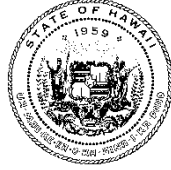
Chair Fukunaga, Vice Chair Wakai, and members of the committee, thank you for the opportunity to testify on S.B. 2698.

The Office of Information Management and Technology supports the overall intent of **S.B. 2698**. At this time, we would like to recommend that the comptroller be replaced by the chief information officer as the chair of the council.

When the Information Privacy and Security Council was first established the state did not yet have a full-time chief information officer (CIO) to provide the overall direction and vision for information technology (IT). Hawaii Revised Statutes §27-43 establishes the role, responsibilities and authorities of the chief information office. As information security and privacy fall under the purview of the CIO and are being addressed in the information technology strategic plan that is currently under development, naming the CIO as chair will align the council to the state's IT strategic vision.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.

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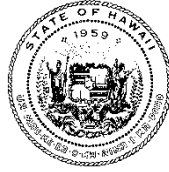
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Chair Fukunaga and members of the Committee, thank you for the opportunity to testify on S.B. 2698.

The Department of Accounting and General Services strongly supports S.B. 2698.

However, we would like to suggest an amendment to the bill, consistent with the Chief Information Officer's (CIO) testimony on this measure, designating the CIO, or the CIO's designee, to serve as Chair of the Information Privacy and Security Council (Council). The proposed amendment enhances the Council's ability to more effectively achieve its goal of utilizing the experience and knowledge of the CIO and comports with the original intent of the bill to allow the Comptroller to designate a replacement to serve as Chair of the Council.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.



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As the acting executive director of the council, I support the overall intent of the S.B. 2698. At this time, I would like to recommend that the comptroller be replaced with the chief information officer as the chair of the council.

When the Information Privacy and Security Council was first established the state did not yet have a full-time chief information officer (CIO) to provide the overall direction and vision for information technology. As information privacy and security are areas that are being addressed by the new chief information officer in the information technology strategic plan that is currently under development, naming the CIO as chair will help to align the work of the council with the state's IT strategic vision.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.



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Chair Fukunaga, Vice Chair Wakai and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of SB 2698.

The University of Hawai'i is an active member of the Information Privacy and Security Council (IPSC). Allowing the comptroller to assign a designee to serve as chair of the Council will provide valuable flexibility that will help the IPSC achieve its mission for the State.

Thank you for this opportunity to provide testimony in support of this measure.