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January 25, 2013

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, HI 96813


Dear President Kim:

In accordance with Section 9, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Hawaii, I am respectfully requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill No. 1103, Making an Emergency Appropriation to the Department of Human Services from the Nursing Facility Sustainability Program Special Fund. This measure appropriates \$12,000,000 from the Nursing Facility Sustainability Program Special Fund, as established by Act 156, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The Department of Budget and Finance will be available to answer any questions you or your staff may have.


Sincerely,

NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawaii

c: Honorable Suzanne Chun Oakland
Honorable David Ige