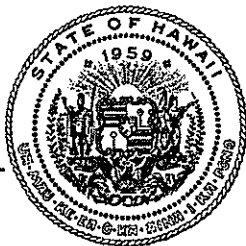


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FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 6-30-15.**

Chair Dela Cruz, Vice Chair Slom, and Members of the Committee.

The Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism **strongly supports** the nomination of H. Brian Moore to the Hawaii Strategic Development Corporation's Board of Directors.

Mr. Moore brings extensive expertise managing investments which will assist HSDC in the evaluation of investment decisions. He has a strong interest in supporting economic development in Hawaii and the development of a sustainable venture capital industry in Hawaii.

Mr. Moore is currently serving his second term as the Board Chair. He has been willing to allow HSDC to tap his expertise and contacts to support HSDC's investment programs.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on Mr. Moore's behalf.



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Chair Dela Cruz, Vice Chair Slom and Members of the Committee:

HSDC **strongly supports** the continued appointment of H. Brian Moore to its Board of Directors. Mr. Moore is an experienced investment professional and his expertise will assist HSDC in the evaluation of investment opportunities. He has a strong interest in supporting economic development in Hawaii and is an active participant in HSDC's affairs.

Mr. Moore is currently serving his second term as the Board Chair. He also serves as HSDC's board member on NELHA's board of directors. He has been willing to allow HSDC to tap his expertise and contacts to support HSDC's investment programs.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on Mr. Moore's behalf.