

Dear Chair Luke & Committee Members,

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Please do not pass HB 437. AlSCO has 262 employees on Oahu. We provide laundry, linen and uniform rental to over 2000 business customers. We provide a very safe working environment for our employees. We have a safety manager that performs safety meetings every month with volunteers from our rank and file employees. We have made great strides in making this branch one of the safest in the company and in the industry. This not only makes good business sense, it is good for all parties. However, HB 437 will hurt our efforts in making this a safe place to work if charges to workers compensation go up through no fault of our own. More money will be paid to employees who may not have been hurt on the job and less money on making this as safe a place to work as is possible.

Sincerely,

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