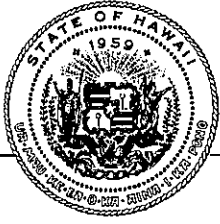


HB 2518 HD1 SD1 Proposed

RELATING TO STATE PLANNING.

Part I: Requires the office of planning to review and propose updates to the State Planning Act and submit a written report to the Legislature. Appropriates funds. Part II: Requires the board of directors of the high technology development corporation to create a first responders technology campus and cyber security command center. Designates certain properties to be included in the park. Appropriates funds. Effective January 20, 2050. (Proposed SD1)



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Thursday, March 20, 2014
3:00 PM
State Capitol, Conference Room 224

in consideration of
HB 2518 HD 1
RELATING TO STATE PLANNING.

Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, and Wakai, Vice Chairs Slom, Baker, and Nishihara, and Members of the Senate Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing; Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs; and Technology and the Arts.

The Office of Planning (OP) supports the intent of HB 2518, HD 1, provided that its passage does not replace or adversely impact priorities indicated in the Executive Budget. HB 2518, HD 1 tasks OP with conducting a comprehensive review of Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) Chapter 226, the state planning act, to include: (1) the analysis of a wide array of state policies and programs, county plans and programs, functional plans, capital improvements programs, and significant issues confronting the State with respect to the state planning act and its implementation; and (2) soliciting proposals for amendments to the state planning act from

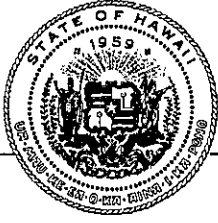
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Since then, there have been significant changes in Hawaii's economic, physical, and social conditions, technology, and the global marketplace, as well as in the constraints and opportunities the State faces as we plan for the future. Every legislative session there are individual bills proposing new policies and revisions to existing policies to address changes in our planning environment. A comprehensive review of the state planning act—with respect to how it aligns with current and emerging conditions and issues and its effectiveness in addressing the needs of Hawaii's people and providing for Hawaii's future—is long overdue.

HD 1 does not specify the amount to be appropriated for the purposes of the bill. Additional funds would be required as OP lacks the staff and resources to undertake a project of this scope at this time. A rigorous evaluation of the State Planning Act will require an investment of public and private resources. Development of the original plan included thorough topic area studies, statewide collaboration, and input by subject matter experts. The office estimates that approximately \$500,000 would be sufficient to accomplish most of this work.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.



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in consideration of
**HB 2518 HD 1 SD 1 (PROPOSED)
RELATING TO STATE PLANNING.**

Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, and Wakai, Vice Chairs Slom, Baker, and Nishihara, and Members of the Senate Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing; Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs; and Technology and the Arts.

The Office of Planning (OP) supports the intent of HB 2518, HD 1, SD 1 (PROPOSED), Part I, provided that its passage does not replace or adversely impact priorities indicated in the Executive Budget. HB 2518, HD 1, SD 1 (PROPOSED), Part I, tasks OP with conducting a comprehensive review of Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) Chapter 226, the state planning act, to include: (1) the analysis of a wide array of state policies and programs, county plans and programs, functional plans, capital improvements programs, and significant issues confronting the State with respect to the state planning act and its implementation; and (2) soliciting proposals for amendments to the state planning act from the general public pursuant to HRS

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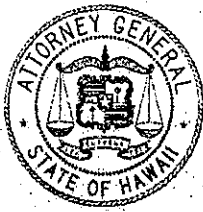
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HB 2518, HD 1, SD 1 (PROPOSED), does not specify the amount to be appropriated for Part I of the bill. Additional funds would be required as OP lacks the staff and resources to undertake a project of this scope at this time. A rigorous evaluation of the State Planning Act will require an investment of public and private resources. Development of the original plan included thorough topic area studies, statewide collaboration, and input by subject matter experts. The office estimates that approximately \$500,000 would be sufficient to accomplish most of this work.

OP does not have a position on Part II of HB 2518, HD 1, SD 1 (PROPOSED).

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.



**TESTIMONY OF
THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE, 2014**

ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE:

H.B. NO. 2518, H.D. 1, PROPOSED S.D. 1, RELATING TO STATE PLANNING.

BEFORE THE:

SENATE COMMITTEES ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND HOUSING, ON PUBLIC SAFETY, INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND MILITARY AFFAIRS, AND ON TECHNOLOGY AND THE ARTS

DATE: Thursday, March 20, 2014

TIME: 3:00 p.m.

LOCATION: State Capitol, Room 224

TESTIFIER(S): David M. Louie, Attorney General, or
Bryan C. Yee, Deputy Attorney General

Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, and Wakai and Members of the Committees:

The Department of the Attorney General offers the following comments on the proposed Senate Draft 1 ("S.D. 1") of House Bill No. 2518 regarding concerns over compliance with article III, section 14, of the Hawaii State Constitution.

The title of this bill is "Relating to State Planning." The proposed S.D. 1 contains two parts. Part I requires the State Office of Planning to review the Hawaii State Plan and make recommendations to the next Legislature. An indeterminate amount of money is appropriated for this purpose. Part II requires the High Technology Development Corporation to create a First Responders Technology Campus and Cyber Security Command Center. An indeterminate amount of money is appropriated for this purpose.

In this case, there are two concerns: First, part II of the proposed S.D. 1 is not encompassed within the scope of the title, "Relating to State Planning." Second, part I and part II of this bill are of such dissimilar subjects that they cannot be logically understood as being related to each other or parts of a single subject.

In the case of Schwab v. Ariyoshi, 58 Haw. 25, 564 P.2d 135 (1977), the Hawaii Supreme Court evaluated the language of section 15, article III, of the State Constitution (1975), and section 45, of the Organic Act, both pertaining to the requirements for a single subject, and both containing language identical to that contained in article III, section 14, of the Hawaii State Constitution.

We acknowledge that laws are presumptively valid and should not be nullified on subject-title grounds unless the violation is “plain, clear, manifest, and unmistakable.” Schwab v. Ariyoshi, 58 Haw. at 31. Nevertheless, the Hawaii Supreme Court has held that “an act which contains provisions neither suggested by the title, nor germane to the subject expressed therein, is, to that extent void.” Id. at 34, quoting Territory v. Dondero, 21 Haw. 19, 29 (1912).

In this case, the creation of the First Responders Technology Campus and Cyber Security Command Center as set forth in part II of this proposed bill is not suggested by nor germane to the bill’s title, “Relating to State Planning.” Consequently, part II of the proposed S.D. 1 is in violation of article III, section 14, of the Hawaii State Constitution.

Furthermore, the different parts of the bill must have some relationship with each other. The court in Schwab explained the purposes of the single-subject requirement, as follows:

First, to prevent hodge-podge or logrolling legislation, second, to prevent surprise or fraud upon the Legislature by means of provisions in bills of which titles give no intimation; and third, to apprise the people of proposed matters of legislation.

Id. at 30-31.

The Hawaii Supreme Court further stated:

To constitute duplicity of subject, an act must embrace two or more dissimilar and discordant subjects that by no fair intendment can be considered as having any legitimate connection with or relation to each other. All that is necessary is that act should embrace some one general subject; and by this is meant, merely, that all matters treated of should fall under some one general idea, be so connected with or related to each other, either logically or in popular understanding, as to be parts of, or germane to, one general subject.

Id. at 33, quoting Johnson v. Harrison, 47 Minn. 575, 50 N.W. 923, 924 (1894).

In this case, part I of the proposed S.D. 1 requires the Office of Planning to review the Hawaii State Plan. Part II of the proposed S.D. 1 requires the High Technology Development Corporation to create the First Responders Technology Campus and Cyber Security Command Center. Part I and part II are not connected to each other, are not related to each other, and are not logically or in popular understanding parts of or germane to a single general subject.

Accordingly, inclusion of part II of the proposed bill violates article III, section 14 of the Hawaii State Constitution.

We respectfully submit these comments to the Committees for their consideration.

STATE OF HAWAII
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

TESTIMONY ON HOUSE BILL 2518 HD1
A BILL RELATING TO STATE PLANNING

PRESENTATION TO
THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,
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BY

MAJOR GENERAL DARRYLL D. M. WONG
ADJUTANT GENERAL AND DIRECTOR OF STATE CIVIL DEFENSE
March 20, 2014

Chair Dela Cruz. Chair Espero, Chair Wakai and Members of the Committees.

I am Major General Darryll D. M. Wong, Adjutant General and Director of State Civil Defense. I am testifying in **SUPPORT** of House Bill 2518 House Draft 1.

The establishment of the First Responders Technology Campus would provide training opportunities for the Hawaii National Guard. The guardmembers could train with county first responder in emergency response scenarios, part of the National Guard's domestic mission.

I ask for your **SUPPORT** of House Bill 2518 House Draft 1.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this testimony.

STATE OF HAWAII
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

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MR. DOUG MAYNE
VICE DIRECTOR OF STATE CIVIL DEFENSE
MARCH 20, 2014

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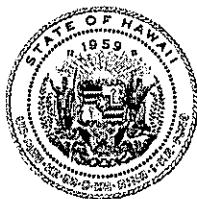
I am Doug Mayne, Vice Director of State Civil Defense. I am testifying in **FAVOR** of House Bill 2518 House Draft 1.

Part II of HB 2518 HD1 provides the opportunity to build much needed public safety infrastructure that is out of the evacuation areas for tsunamis and hurricanes. This infrastructure will replace aging and inadequate facilities that might not be available after the next disaster strikes.

I urge you to **PASS** HB 2518 HD1.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this testimony.

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Thursday, March 20, 2014
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H.B. 2518, HD1 (Proposed SD1)
RELATING TO STATE PLANNING

Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, Wakai, Vice Chairs Slom, Baker, Nishihara, and Members of the Committee:

I am Keone Kali, Chief Information Officer in the Office of Information Management and Technology (OIMT), speaking in support of the intent of H.B. 2518, HD1 (SD1 Proposed) Relating to State Planning that proposes a First Responders Technology Campus and Cyber Security Command Center.

The OIMT is undertaking a multi-year program to improve the reliability, availability, and capabilities of the State's data processing and communications infrastructure which support all State departments, including emergency response and public safety agencies. Specific actions include developing a centralized security operations center that coordinates State cyber security activities; and moving State's data centers and critical network switching centers from the Honolulu Civic Center to locations that will likely survive tsunamis, hurricanes, and other disasters. The OIMT has arrangements with several Oahu commercial data center service providers and with the High Technology Development Center and the Pacific Disaster Center on Maui to serve as backup facilities, and is exploring options at the University of Hawaii and county facilities.

The proposed First Responders Technology Campus and Cyber Security Command Center provides a needed secure, survivable state-operated facility for our data systems and security operations. When building that facility, OIMT can share its data center, communications, and cyber security planning and operational experience. Further, OIMT's data center consultant is available to meet with the committee to review other aspects of this proposal in detail. The OIMT defers to Budget and Finance about funding options, and to the respective expertise of the High Technology Development Corporation and the State Department of Defense to review, organize, and operate appropriate facilities and to provide other services required by first responder and law enforcement agencies proposed in this bill.

We thank the Committee for this opportunity to testify in support of the intent of this proposal that will protect the State's critical infrastructure, share our resources, and improve our public safety.

TESTIMONY BY KALBERT K. YOUNG
DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE
STATE OF HAWAII
TO THE SENATE COMMITTEES ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, GOVERNMENT
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ON
HOUSE BILL NO. 2518, H.D. 1, PROPOSED S.D. 1

March 20, 2014

RELATING TO STATE PLANNING

House Bill No. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1, requires the board of directors of the high technology development corporation to create a first responders technology campus and cyber security command center and designates certain properties to be included in the park. The board is charged under the bill with identifying appropriate incentives for the development of the first responders technology campus and cyber security command center. The bill states that the incentives "may include" both special purpose revenue bonds and special facility revenue bonds.

The Department would like to note that the issuance of special purpose revenue bonds or special facility revenue bonds require, among other things, the project or special facility to generate sufficient revenues to pay debt service on the bonds.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide our testimony on this bill.

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The Honorable Glenn Wakai, Chair
Committee on Technology and the Arts
The State Senate
State Capitol, Room 216
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, and Wakai:

Subject: H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1 Relating to State Planning

I am Manuel P. Neves, Chair of the Hawaii State Fire Council (SFC) and Fire Chief of the Honolulu Fire Department (HFD). The SFC and the HFD support H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1, which requires the Office of Planning to review and propose updates to the State Planning Act and submit a written report to the Legislature; the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation to create a first responders technology campus and cyber security command center; designates certain properties to be included in the park; and appropriates funds.

The Honorable Donovan Dela Cruz, Chair

The Honorable Will Espero, Chair

The Honorable Glenn Wakai, Chair

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The fire service in Hawaii strongly supports training and preparedness in various types of emergency incidents, including natural and manmade disasters, water and land rescues, and medical and hazardous materials emergencies. In the event of a large-scale emergency, our community will need all available county, state, and federal resources to effectively work together.

The SFC supports the intent to provide public safety training; warehouses for storage of vehicles, equipment, and supplies; and dedicated fire service training props and facilities to enhance present and future capabilities. We look forward to being an active participant in the proposed measure of the public safety planning.

The SFC and the HFD urge your committee's passage of H.B. 2518, H.D. 1 Proposed S.D. 1.

Should you have questions, please contact SFC Administrator Socrates Bratakos at 723-7105 or sbratakos@honolulu.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. P. Neves', with a stylized flourish at the end.

MANUEL P. NEVES

Chair

MPN/LR:clc

Written Statement of
ROBBIE MELTON
Executive Director & CEO
High Technology Development Corporation
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Chair Dela Cruz, Espero and Wakai, Vice Chair Slom, Baker and Nishihara and Members of the Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing, Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and Technology and the Arts.

The High Technology Development Corporation (HTDC) offers **comments** on part II of HB 2518 HD1 Proposed SD1 relating to State Planning. HTDC supports innovation and technology development in any industry, including for first responders and cyber security. HTDC has a core competency in technology and manufacturing and, under its 206M statutes, has the ability to develop technology parks.

Though we support the intent of HB 2518 HD1 Proposed SD1, HTDC will need \$500,000 to dedicate for research to build expertise in the focus area of a first responder's technology campus and cyber security command center, explore partnership opportunities and solicit proposals to ensure the best use of State resources. This would be a specific appropriation and should not replace or adversely impact the Administration's budget request. Without an appropriation HTDC suggests that our agency would be best suited in a support role for this initiative, as part of a planning committee providing expertise in establishing technology parks and in entrepreneurship, rather than a revision of its 206M HRS.

Thank you for the opportunity to offer these comments.

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H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1 (Part II)

RELATING TO STATE PLANNING

Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, Wakai, and members of the Committees, thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony on H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1 (Part II).

The Department of Accounting and General Services supports the intent of H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1 (Part II), provided its passage does not replace or adversely impact priorities indicated in the Executive Budget, and will work collaboratively with the High Technology Development Corporation, the Chief Information Officer, and other interested parties to effectuate the purpose of Part II.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony on this matter.

William P. Kenoi
Mayor



Darren J. Rosario
Fire Chief

Renwick J. Victorino
Deputy Fire Chief

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Dear Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, and Wakai:

Subject: H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, Proposed S.D. 1 Relating to State Planning

I am Darren J. Rosario, Member of the Hawai'i State Fire Council (SFC) and Fire Chief of the Hawai'i Fire Department of the County of Hawai'i (HCFD). The SFC and the HFD support H.B. 2518, H.D. 1, proposed S.D. 1, which requires the Office of Planning to review and propose updates to the State Planning Act and submit a written report to the Legislature; the Board of Directors of the High Technology Development Corporation to create a first responders technology campus and cyber security command center; designates certain properties to be included in the park; and appropriates funds.

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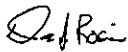
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
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The SFC and the HCFD urge your committee's passage of H.B. 2518, H.D. 1 Proposed S.D. 1.

Should you have questions, please contact my office at 808-932-2903 or fire@co.hawaii.hi.us

Sincerely,



 DARREN J. ROSARIO
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Testimony for EGH/PSM/TEC on Mar 20, 2014 15:00PM in Conference Room 224

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Wayne Kruse	Honolulu Emergency Medical Services	Support	No

Comments: Support for the proposed project will greatly enhance emergency responders joint capabilities and relationships deep into the future for Hawaii and pacific area partners. Support will also facilitate inter agency access to common training accomodations. Possitive opportunities are endless by supporting this proposal. Thank you Wayne

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Chamber of Commerce HAWAII

The Voice of Business

Testimony to the Senate Committee on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing and Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs and Committee on Technology and the Arts
Thursday, March 20, 2014 at 3:00 P.M.
Conference Room 224, State Capitol

RE: HOUSE BILL 2518 HD1 RELATING TO STATE PLANNING

Chairs Dela Cruz, Espero, and Wakai, and Vice Chairs Slom, Baker, and Nishihara, and Members of the Committees:

The Chamber provides the following **comments** on HB 2518 HD 1 which proposes to provide for a comprehensive review of the Hawaii State Plan by:

1. Requiring the Office of Planning to:
 - a. Review the Hawaii State Plan to recommend amendments for updating the Hawaii State Plan in response to current state needs; and
 - b. Submit a written report to the Legislature no later than 30 days prior to the convening of the 2016 Regular Session of its findings, recommendations, and proposed legislation, with respect to reviewing and proposing updates to the State Planning Act; and
2. Appropriating funds (\$500,000.00) for the Office of Planning to review and propose updates to the State Planning Act.

The Chamber is the largest business organization in Hawaii, representing more than 1,000 businesses. Approximately 80% of our members are small businesses with less than 20 employees. As the "Voice of Business" in Hawaii, the organization works on behalf of its members, which employ more than 200,000 individuals, to improve the state's economic climate and to foster positive action on issues of common concern.

We understand that the State Plans have not been updated since the 1980's which seems to indicate that the plans were not required or adhered to for several years. We strongly support the need for sound planning especially when it provides the future vision for the State. However, considering the time lapse of almost 30 years since the plans were last updated, perhaps there needs to be some consideration given as to how the results of the update will be implemented or managed before expending \$500,000.00.

Finally, if the State Plan is a living state document that is being managed by the Office of Planning, why is a separate appropriation required to update the plan as opposed to updates and modification being done as a part of their normal duties and responsibilities?

Thank you for the opportunity to express our views on this matter.



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Chair Dela Cruz, Vice Chair Slom; Chair Espero, Vice Chair Baker; Chair Wakai, Vice Chair Nishihara and Members of the Senate Committees on Economic Development, Government Operations and Housing; Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs; and Technology and The Arts:

I am Harry Saunders, President of Castle & Cooke Hawai'i. We support Part I as it relates to the review of the Hawai'i State Plan by the State Office of Planning and to provide recommended updates. Furthermore, we support Part II that proposes to centralize first responders and cyber security facilities in a central O'ahu first responders technology campus and cyber security command center to enable the sharing of resources and support services by various agencies.

We are the owner of certain parcels in Central O'ahu within the Mililani Technology Park that may be suitable for uses as proposed by this measure. Centrally located with easy access to freeways, military bases, airfields, hospitals and approximately 850 feet above sea level, these parcels are identified by the following Tax Map Key (TMK) numbers:

TMK # 9-5-002-057
TMK # 9-5-046-010
TMK # 9-5-046-012
TMK # 9-5-046-018
TMK # 9-5-046-041
TMK # 9-5-046-042
TMK # 9-5-046-044

These parcels are available at Fair Market Value to the State or any other prospective buyer(s) and would include all existing development rights and conditions. We look forward to further details and are ready to execute a contract to sell our lands for the purposes as contained in HB 21518 HB1 SD1.

Mahalo for your consideration of our testimony. Should you have questions, please feel free to contact us:

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