Measure Title: Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, WENDEE WILSON, for a term to expire 6-30-2016.

Report Title: Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board

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TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

TWENTY-SEVENTH STATE LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION, 2014

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 2014 9:00 A.M.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY ON GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 615

TO THE HONORABLE ROSALYN H. BAKER, CHAIR, AND TO THE HONORABLE BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, VICE CHAIR, AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Department") appreciates the opportunity to testify on Governor's Message No. 615, regarding the appointment of Wendee Wilson to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board ("Board"). My name is Keali'i Lopez, Director of the Department. The Department strongly supports the confirmation of Ms. Wilson's appointment to the Board as a public member for a term to expire on June 30, 2016.

Ms. Wilson fully understands her role and various responsibilities of being a public member. She previously served as a public member on the Board of Massage Therapy and was also the Chair of the Board until her term expired in April 2013.

She is familiar with what the Board and the Department represent. Her current experience as a Legislative Office Manager will only serve to enhance her knowledge, making her an invaluable member for this Board.

As a past member of a Board, Ms. Wilson is fully aware of the commitment involved to serve on a board and is willing to again contribute unselfishly.

Thank you for this opportunity to provide testimony in strong support of the appointment of Ms. Wilson to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board.

Submitted on: 4/8/2014

Testimony for CPN on Apr 11, 2014 09:00AM in Conference Room 229

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Sandie Wong	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I strongly support Wendee Wilson's nomination to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board. I have known Ms. Wilson professionally for the last 4 to 5 years and have found her to be a wise and hard working individual. I think she would be a great addition to the Board and the Board would be lucky to get such an individual as a Board member. Mahalo

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Jason Chee	Individual	Support	No

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Myron Kamihara	Individual	Support	No

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March 31, 2014

Senator Roslyn Baker, Chair
Senate Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection

Subject: Nomination to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board

Aloha Chair Baker, Vice-Chair Taniguchi and Members of the Committee,

My name is Wendee Wilson and I have been nominated to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board. I had previously served as a public member on the Board of Massage Therapy for two terms, most of which I was Chair. I feel that being a member of the Board of Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing would allow me to continue to serve my community and the State.

The responsibility of a board member is to ensure the compliance of statutes and administrative rules by industry members in order to encourage honesty and professionalism and to safeguard the consumer. I believe that I am qualified to be a public member because I come to the Board with an open mind, a positive attitude, I am eager to continue my public service.

I hope to assist in creating a more positive public perception of the motor vehicle industry. I am honest, no-nonsense and meticulous. I am not afraid to ask questions when I don't understand and will not back down when I know something is wrong, yet I am still able to compromise.

The prior experience I have had that may be beneficial as a Board member is that of a consumer of the industry. I do not see any conflicts of interest that may arise from my service, however, should something come up, I could recuse myself from any decision making in that instance.

Thank you for your consideration of my nomination to the Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board.

Very Respectfully,

Wendee Wilson