



**Testimony to the Senate Committee on Ways and Means
Tuesday, March 29, 2016 at 9:30 A.M.
Conference Room 211, State Capitol**

**RE: HOUSE BILL 1752 HD1 RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY
SERVICES**

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

The Chamber of Commerce Hawaii ("The Chamber") **supports** HB 1752 HD1, which appropriates general revenue for one full-time equivalent position as grant administrative support personnel in the office of community services for fiscal year 2016-2017.

The Chamber is Hawaii's leading statewide business advocacy organization, representing about 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 members and the entire business community to improve the state's economic climate and to foster positive action on issues of common concern.

We support the additional position and funds for the Office of Community Services. The office has a broad range of duties that reach deep into the community in working with many non-profit and government agencies. We believe that the additional resources will help the office in fulfilling its mission.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

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