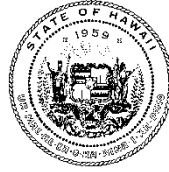


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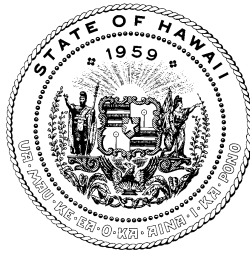
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Chair Tokuda and members of the Committee, thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony on H.B. 2018, H.D. 1.

The Department of Accounting and General Services (DAGS) supports this bill. Thank you for the opportunity to submit written testimony on this matter.



**TESTIMONY OF JAN K. YAMANE, ACTING STATE AUDITOR,  
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Chair Tokuda and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of HB 2018, HD1. The purpose of the bill is to implement the recommendations we made in Report No. 15-13, *Study of State Departmental Engineering Sections That Manage Capital Improvement Projects* (November 2015).

As you know, we conducted our work pursuant to Act 177, Session Laws of Hawai'i 2015, which asked us to conduct a study to review the process, efficiencies, and accountability of various departmental engineering sections, except for those within the Department of Transportation, that manage general fund capital improvement projects. We noted inconsistent adherence to best practices and SPO guidance.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of HB 2018, HD1.