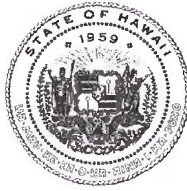


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Senate Committee on Transportation and Energy

The Department of Transportation (DOT) **supports the intent** of this resolution requesting DOT to conduct a study on the feasibility and advisability of adopting the Transportation Security Administration's (TSA) screening partnership program and to make appropriate recommendations to the Legislature.

However, the DOT feels that this is a complex issue and we do not have the necessary resources, with the current staff, to perform a study of this magnitude for each of our seven (7) state airports that may be affected. A feasibility study of this nature would not be able to be completed within the proposed time constraints, as required by this resolution.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.