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Testimony of
SUZANNE D. CASE
Chairperson

Before the House Committee on
WATER & LAND

Wednesday, January 31, 2018
10:00 am
State Capitol, Conference Room 325

In consideration of
HOUSE BILL 1973
RELATING TO THE LAND USE COMMISSION

House Bill 1973 proposes to amend Section 205-12 (Enforcement), Hawaii Revised Statutes, to authorize the State Land Use Commission (LUC) to compel any public agency to perform any of the public agency's duties or responsibilities or to comply with any statutory requirements pertaining to the public agency within the Conservation District. **The Department of Land and Natural Resources (Department) opposes this measure.**

Section 183C-3(7) (Powers and duties of the board and department) HRS, identifies the Board of Land and Natural Resources and the Department as having the power to establish and enforce land use regulations on conservation district lands. This measure appears to give LUC power over the day to day regulation of conservation district land, without any explanation or rationale.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this measure.

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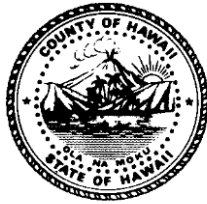
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Chair Yamane, Vice Chair Todd, and members of the Committee on Water and Land:

The Land Use Commission supports the intent of HB 1973 in that it seeks to strengthen the monitoring and enforcement of activity within the State land use districts. However, we defer to the Department of Land and Natural Resources as the designated authority within the State Conservation District for specifics.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.

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Testimony by
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before the
COMMITTEE ON WATER & LAND
Wednesday, January 31, 2018, 10:00AM
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in consideration of
HB 1973
Relating to the Land Use Commission

The County of Hawai'i Planning Department would like to express its **STRONG OBJECTION** to this bill as it may have jurisdictional implications, while noting that such enforcement is already vested with the State Department of Conservation and Resources Enforcement.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

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Testimony for WAL on 1/31/2018 10:00:00 AM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
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Comments:

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