

STATE OF HAWAII  
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
TESTIMONY ON HOUSE BILL 2697 HD1, RELATING TO VETERANS  
PRESENTATION TO THE  
COMMITTEE ON VETERANS, MILITARY, & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, & CULTURE  
AND THE ARTS

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Good morning, Chair LoPresti, Vice Chair Fukumoto, and members of the Committee:

I'm Ron Han, Director of the State Office of Veterans Services. I appreciate this opportunity to provide testimony **in support** of the concepts in House Bill 2697 HD1.

This measure requires the Office of Veterans' Services to organize, coordinate, and conduct an annual State of Hawaii Veterans Summit.

The OVS supports the concepts and intent expressed in this measure as long as its implementation does not impact or replace the priorities set forth in the Executive Budget.

Thank you for this opportunity to provide testimony on behalf of Hawaii's Veterans and their families.

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Strongly support this bill to unite veterans statewide.

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