



March 21, 2018

**TESTIMONY BEFORE THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION
ON HCR187 REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
TO STUDY THE EFFECTS OF PROHIBITING TRUCKS WITH A GROSS VEHICLE
WEIGHT OF TEN THOUSAND POUNDS OR MORE FROM USING THE LEFT
MOST LANE ON CERTAIN HIGHWAYS**

Thank you Chair Aquino and committee members. I am Gareth Sakakida, Managing Director of the Hawaii Transportation Association (HTA) with over 400 transportation related members throughout the state of Hawaii.

HTA opposed the bill effecting this concept, but is not taking that stand to this resolution.

We request that if the Department is to undertake such a study, HTA needs to directly participate in that effort.

We would like to close by reporting that one of the primary reasons for the bill was already addressed by the Department with instructional signs, but enforcement is needed to educate drivers to the situation.

Thank you.

HCR-168

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