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Statement of
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on
SB2504 SD2
Relating to the Hawaii Tourism Authority
House Committee on Tourism
Tuesday, March 20, 2018
9:15 a.m.
Conference Room 429

Chair Onishi, Vice-Chair Fukumoto and Committee Members:

The Hawai'i Tourism Authority (HTA) offers the following **comments on SB2504 SD2**. The bill defines “administrative expenses” as used in HRS § 201B-11(c)(1) as “basic office operational expenses” and amends HRS § 201B-11(c)(1) to provide that expenditure of moneys to market Hawai'i as a tourism destination shall not be considered administrative expenses.

HTA has no objection to defining “administrative expenses” as “basic operational expenses.” HTA does not oppose SB2504 SD2.

Mahalo for the opportunity to offer this testimony.