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The Honorable Clarence K. Nishihara, Chair
and Members
Committee on Public Safety,
Intergovernmental, and Military Affairs
State Senate
Hawaii State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street, Room 229
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Nishihara and Members:

SUBJECT: House Bill No. 159, H.D. 1, Relating to Crime

I am Major Calvin Tong of the Narcotics/Vice Division of the Honolulu Police Department (HPD), City and County of Honolulu.

The HPD supports House Bill No. 159, H.D. 1, Relating to Crime.

The purpose of the act is to increase the penalties for drug and gambling related offenses in order to deter property owners from allowing those illegal activities on their properties.

In keeping with our conviction of sustaining and enriching communities, the HPD urges you to support House Bill No. 159, H.D. 1, Relating to Crime.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

APPROVED:

Sincerely,


Susan Ballard
Chief of Police


Calvin Tong, Major
Narcotics/Vice Division

HB-159-HD-1

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Testimony for PSM on 3/19/2019 1:35:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Victor K. Ramos	Testifying for Maui Police Department	Support	No

Comments: