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before the
SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM
Thursday, May 14, 2020
1:00 P.M.
State Capitol, Conference Room 016

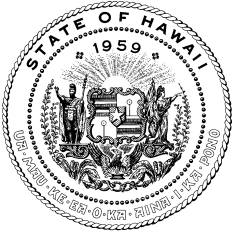
in consideration of
GM 668
**Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawaii Green Infrastructure
Authority, Gubernatorial Nominee,
DENNIS WONG, for a term to expire 6-30-2022**

Chair Wakai, Vice Chair Taniguchi and Members of the Committee:

As Chair of the Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority ("Authority"), I am pleased to testify in **strong support** of Governor's Message 668, for Gubernatorial Nominee, Dennis Wong, to serve as a Board Member of the Authority.

A retired banking executive with over 41 years in the financial services industry, Mr. Wong rounds out the strengths and technical skills of the Authority's members with his strong analytical and financial acumen, coupled with his invaluable lending experience, which is critical for a loan fund.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify and offer strong support and comments for Dennis Wong.



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before the
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In SUPPORT of
GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE 668, DENNIS WONG
Appointment to the Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority
(Written Testimony Only)

Chair Wakai, Vice Chair Taniguchi, and Members of the Committee, I am writing in support of the appointment of Mr. Dennis Wong to serve on the Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority.

After retiring with over 41 years in the financial services industry as Senior Vice President and Oahu Regional Manager, Mr. Wong's passion to assist our local economy led him to accept the position of Senior Business Advisor for the Hawaii Small Business Development Center, providing much needed technical assistance for our small businesses. His strong business acumen and lending experience makes him an invaluable member of the Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.



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Testimony of
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in consideration of **GM NO. 668**
Confirmation to the Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority,
Gubernatorial Nominee DENNIS WONG, for a term to expire 6-30-2022

Chair Wakai, Vice Chair Taniguchi and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for this opportunity to testify in **strong support** of Governor's Message 668, for Gubernatorial Nominee, Dennis Wong, to serve as a Board Member of the Hawaii Green Infrastructure Authority ("HGIA").

Having known Mr. Wong over the past three decades working for competing banks in the financial services industry, I have experienced first-hand his strong work ethic, financial acumen, sincere concern for his banking customers and willingness to give back to our community. His service-above-self philosophy continues even after retiring as Senior Vice President & Oahu Regional Manager from Hawaii National Bank with his willingness to serve as a Member of HGIA. We are fortunate to have him join our HGIA team as his technical expertise in lending perfectly complements the clean energy, economic development and finance skills of our other HGIA board members.

Thank you for this opportunity to testify and offer strong support and comments for Governor's Message 668.