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Statement of
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before the
SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM

Thursday, May 14, 2020
1:00 PM
State Capitol, Conference Room 016

In consideration of
GM 673
**SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION TO THE SMALL
BUSINESS REGULATORY REVIEW BOARD, GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE,
NANCY ATMOSPORA-WALSH FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 6-30-2024.**

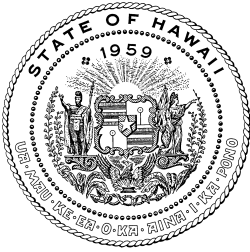
Chair Wakai, Vice Chair Tanaguchi and Members of the Senate Committee on Energy, Economic Development, and Tourism.

The Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism (DBEDT) strongly supports the gubernatorial nomination of Ms. Nancy Atmospera-Walch to continue to serve as a member of the Small Business Regulatory Review Board (SBRRB).

Ms. Atmospera-Walch brings strong business and community experience spanning over forty years. She is the sole proprietor of AIM Healthcare Institute and president & chief executive officer of Advantage Health Care Provider, Inc.. She is also a member of many professional organizations, and has received numerous awards throughout the years.

DBEDT has great confidence that Ms. Atmospera-Walch will continue to contribute to the SBRRB's ongoing commitment to the small business community. In addition, with her medical background, PhD in Nursing, and an experienced nursing home administrator, she offers a strong presence in Hawaii's health industry.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony in strong support of Ms. Atmospera-Walch's nomination to the SBRRB.



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TO: Chair Wakai, Vice Chair Taniguchi, and Members of the Senate Committee on Energy, Economic Development, and Tourism

FROM: Robert Cundiff, Chairperson
Small Business Regulatory Review Board

DATE: May 14, 2020 – Room 016 at 1:00 p.m.

SUBJECT: **GM 673 Nancy Atmospera-Walch – Strong Support**

On behalf of the Small Business Regulatory Review Board (SBRRB), I am providing testimony in strong support of Ms. Nancy Atmospera-Walch to continue to serve as a member of this Board.

Ms. Atmospera-Walch brings an enormous amount of knowledge, small business background and proven leadership ability as evidenced by her business and community experience, especially in the health industry. She is currently the owner and sole proprietor of AIM Healthcare Institute and president and chief executive officer of Advantage Health Care Provider, Inc.

Ms. Atmospera-Walch has served as a member of the SBRRB since 2015 and it is my belief as the chair that she will continue to be an asset to the SBRRB's future strategic plans and its ongoing commitment to Hawaii's small business community.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify and to request your consideration in approving Ms. Atmospera-Walch's re-nomination to the SBRRB.