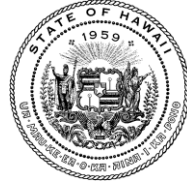


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From: Rona M. Suzuki, Director
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Re: **STRONG SUPPORT of GM 782**

Date: Monday, May 18, 2020

Time: 10:30 A.M.

Place: Auditorium, State Capitol

The Department of Taxation (Department) strongly supports GM 782 and the confirmation of Glenn Sakuda to the Board of Taxation Review, 1st Taxation District (Oahu).

Glenn Sakuda is a long standing member of the accounting community in Hawaii. With his background in tax, accounting, and law, Mr. Sakuda would be an asset to the Board of Taxation Review. The Department is grateful for his willingness to provide his depth of knowledge to assist in adjudication of tax appeals.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of GM 782 and the confirmation of Glenn Sakuda to the Board of Taxation Review, 1st Taxation District (Oahu).