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**Testimony of
SUZANNE D. CASE
Chairperson**

**Before the House Committee on
FINANCE**

**Tuesday, February 26, 2019
11:00 AM
State Capitol, Conference Room 308**

**In consideration of
HOUSE BILL 1025, HOUSE DRAFT 1
RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND**

House Bill 1025, House Draft 1, proposes to authorize the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. House Draft 1 of the measure makes significant amendments to the original Administration bill by altering a number of conditions the Department of Land and Natural Resources (Department) had included to make lease extensions available to long-term lessees who intended to continue to utilize the lease premises for their businesses. The amended measure would repeal on June 30, 2029. **The Department offers the following comments on and proposed amendments to this measure.**

As originally introduced, House Bill 1025 was an Administration proposal that would have authorized the Board, on a "statewide basis", and for a limited period (to be repealed on June 30, 2024), to extend commercial, industrial, or resort leases that have not been sold or assigned within 20 years prior to receipt of an application for a lease extension under the measure, when the lessee commits to substantial improvement to the existing improvements, provided that lease extensions cannot exceed 40 years, and additionally, the lessee cannot transfer or sell the lease during the extension period, except by devise, bequest, or intestate succession. The bill was intended to support long-term tenants wishing to continue their businesses past the 65-year maximum lease term allowed under current law.

House Bill 1025, House Draft 1 proposes to extend the sunset date of the bill to June 30, 2029, and would make extensions available to commercial, industrial, resort or governmental lessees who have not assigned their leases within the last five years. Additionally, the House Draft 1

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removes the restrictions on assignments of leases extended under the measure, and expressly permits subleasing.

One of the arguments the Department has heard against restrictions on assignment is that lessees need to be able to mortgage their leasehold interests in the land and that House Bill 1025 as originally introduced would prevent them from doing so. However, that is not the case. Assignments and mortgages are two different concepts and are treated separately under the law. Assignments are governed by Section 171-36(a)(5), Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), while mortgages are subject to Sections 171-21 and 22, HRS. House Bill 1025 as originally introduced does not impair a lessee's ability to mortgage the leasehold interest, or the ability of an institutional lender to foreclose on and sell the leasehold interest as provided for under Section 171-22, HRS. The law will continue to provide that the interest of the mortgagee or holder is "freely assignable."

The original version of House Bill 1025 would also not prohibit "true" subleases, which the Department views as one in which the lessee/sublessor retains either a portion of the lease premises for its own use or reserves a portion of the lease term after the sublease ends for its own use. In contrast, a transaction styled as a sublease but which in effect is an assignment of all of the lessee's interest in the lease would not be allowed under the original version of the bill. The Department additionally notes that assignments and subleasing are governed by two separate subsections of Section 171-36, HRS: subsection 171-36(a)(5) for assignments, and subsection 171-36(a)(6) for subleasing. House Bill 1025 as originally introduced is not intended to affect subleasing under subsection 171-36(a)(6), HRS.

As noted above, the Department's intent in introducing House Bill 1025 as originally drafted was to acknowledge the commitment of long-term lessees to locating their business on State lease lands and to ensure that such lessees could continue to operate those businesses for the duration of the extension period authorized under the measure. The Department is concerned that making lease extensions available as widely as House Draft 1 proposes will lead to speculators acquiring State leases, obtaining extensions after five years, putting in the minimum 30% of substantial improvements required, and flipping the leases for a profit.¹ The Department does not believe such speculation is in the best interests of the State, and therefore proposes amendments to House Draft 1 that would limit eligibility for lease extensions to lessees who have not assigned their leases within the last ten years, and would prohibit any assignments for a period of ten years after the lease extension is granted. The specific proposed amendments to the bill are indicated in gray highlight below:

"§171- Commercial, industrial, resort, or government leases; extension of term. (a) Notwithstanding section 171-36, for leases that have not been assigned or transferred within [five] ten years prior to receipt of an application for a lease

extension submitted pursuant to this section, the board may extend the rental period of a lease of public lands for commercial use, industrial use, resort use, or government use upon approval by the board of a development agreement proposed by the lessee or by the lessee and developer to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements."²

"(d) Any extension of a lease pursuant to this section shall be based upon the substantial improvements to be made and shall be for a period not longer than forty years. No lease extended pursuant to this section shall be transferable or assignable for a period of ten years after the extension is granted, except by devise, bequest, or intestate succession. The prohibition on assignments and transfer of leases includes a prohibition on conveyances of leases and a prohibition on the sale or change in ownership of a lessee that is a company or entity by more than twenty per cent. During the extended term of the lease, the lease may be subleased, subject to approval by the board."

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this measure.

1 A lease with 5 years remaining on the term is worth a lot less to a buyer than a lease with 40 years remaining on the term.

2 A conforming amendment to change "five years" to "ten years" would also be needed to the bill's preamble at page 2, line 5.



HB1025 HD1
RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND
House Committee on Finance

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The Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA) **OPPOSES** HB1025 HD1, which would authorize relatively unconditioned lease extensions for a wide variety of public land leases, allowing public lands to be placed in the hands of a single private entity for an indefinite amount of time – far longer than necessary for the redevelopment purposes of this measure – and thereby invite potential violations of the public trust and public land trust, as well as compromise the interests of the State, Native Hawaiians, and the public in our limited public land base.

1. Act 149’s “pilot project” has not been completed or evaluated; allowing forty-year lease extensions for any and all industrial, commercial, and resort leases in the state may be premature.

As a preliminary matter, OHA notes that the legislation this measure is purportedly based on, Act 149 (Reg. Sess. 2018), was enacted only last year, as a “pilot project” to determine whether public land lease extensions in the dilapidated “Hilo community economic district” can “facilitate efficient redevelopment and greater economic opportunities,” and whether such an approach “can be replicated in other areas of the State.”

However, rather than wait for the pilot program to meaningfully commence, much less conclude, this measure would summarily expand much broader lease extension authorities for any and all industrial, commercial, and resort leases of public lands throughout the entire state. Such an expansion appears premature given Act 149’s acknowledged need to first assess whether any redevelopment benefits from lease extensions “can be replicated in other areas of the State.” Indeed, there are a number of considerations that may need to be assessed from Act 149’s pilot project, including but not limited to:

- Whether redevelopment actually occurs in a timely manner as a result of its lease extension authority;
- Whether the cost-benefits to the State and the public, including opportunity costs, foreclosed revenue increases from real estate market changes, and foregone equity in existing and new improvements that would otherwise revert to the State justify the long-term placement of public lands under private control;
- Whether 40-year extensions of lease terms and fixed rental periods are necessary to obtain redevelopment financing;
- Whether specific conditions, contingencies, safeguards, or other considerations should be taken into account in the development of extension terms and conditions; and

- Whether any replication of its lease extension authority should be limited to certain leases or circumstances.

Accordingly, OHA strongly recommends that the Committee allow for an appropriate assessment of the potential unintended consequences, cost benefits, and other lessons from Act 149, before expanding much broader lease extension authorities to all other industrial, commercial, resort, and government public land leases throughout the islands.

2. This measure may authorize leases that violate the State’s fiduciary obligations under the public trust and the public land trust, and that lead to the alienation of public and “ceded” lands.

Under Article 11, section 1 of the Hawai’i State Constitution and Chapter 171, Hawai’i Revised Statutes (HRS), the State, through the Board of Land and Natural Resources (BLNR), holds in trust approximately 1.3 million acres of public lands, including the natural and cultural resources they contain, for the benefit of present and future generations. Much of these lands are also subject to the public land trust created by Article 12 of the Hawai’i State Constitution and section 5(f) of the Admission Act, which requires that a portion of revenues derived from public land trust lands be dedicated to OHA, for the purpose of bettering the conditions of Native Hawaiians. The trust status of these lands impose upon the BLNR specific fiduciary obligations of due diligence and undivided loyalty, in making its trust corpus productive and maximizing its benefits for its Native Hawaiian and public beneficiaries. **By authorizing the extension of commercial, industrial, resort, and government public land leases – many of which may already have been held by their respective lessees for the better part of a century – for up to 40 years, this bill may invite century-long leases that substantially inhibit the BLNR and future generations from fulfilling these fiduciary obligations, and otherwise ensuring the best and most appropriate uses of public trust and public land trust lands.** For example, this measure could allow a public land lease that was first issued for 55 years, then extended to 65 years, to be extended for an additional 40 years, with a fixed rental period of the same amount of time. This could result in the use of public lands by a private entity for 105 years, **without any rent reopening for over a generation**, so long as the BLNR agrees to a lessee’s agreement proposal “to make substantial improvements to [] existing improvements.” **Notably, the lack of an aggregate lease length cap as well as any prohibition on additional lease extensions could allow lease terms and fixed rent periods to be repeatedly extended, for an indefinite length of time, further drawing into question the ability of future generations to ensure the appropriate disposition of public lands -- something that even Act 149 does not allow.** The fact that industrial, commercial, and resort lands may have the highest revenue potential of the State’s public land and public land trust land inventories only further exacerbate the concerns underlying this measure’s lease extension provisions.

In addition to tying the State’s and future generations’ hands in ensuring the appropriate use of and realization of revenues from public trust and public land trust lands, the long-term leases that would be authorized under this measure may lead to a sense of entitlement amongst lessees that can result and has resulted in the alienation of public lands, including “ceded” lands to which Native Hawaiians have never relinquished their claims. **OHA objects to the**

sale or alienation of “ceded” lands except in limited circumstances, and has significant concerns over any proposal that may facilitate the diminution of the “ceded” lands corpus.

Accordingly, OHA again urges the Committee to decline to adopt the **unlimited** and relatively unconditioned **40-year lease term and fixed rent period extensions** that would be authorized for public lands, including public land trust and “ceded” lands, leased for commercial, industrial, resort, and government purposes.

3. Under this measure, lease extensions would be authorized for a much broader range of justifications than even Act 149 contemplates.

Finally, OHA notes that Act 149 explicitly and specifically requires any extension of lease terms or fixed rent periods to be only “to the extent necessary to qualify the lease for mortgage lending or guaranty purposes,” and “based on the economic life of the substantial improvements as determined by the [BLNR] or an independent appraisal.” In contrast, this measure – which has been characterized as only expanding the geographic scope of Act 149’s provisions – would in fact broadly allow for lease extensions “in order [for the lessee] to make substantial improvements,” “based upon the substantial improvements to be made.” While such language would provide substantially more flexibility than Act 149 in the granting of lease term length and fixed rent period extensions, it would also allow for extensions in situations where the State’s interest in the redevelopment of leased parcels are not commensurate with the benefits such extensions would grant to a private entity. **Under this measure, a lessee may apply for and receive extensions that exceed the time necessary to secure redevelopment financing, and that exceed their improvements’ useful life – at which point the lessee would be allowed to apply for an additional extension.** Accordingly, this measure does not just expand the geographic scope of Act 149’s extension authority and remove Act 149’s limitations on total aggregate lease lengths, but would further authorize extensions to be based on a broader range of justifications that, due to political pressure or other reasons, may undermine the State’s and public’s interests in the development and disposition of its lands for generations at a time.

4. Critical amendments are necessary to minimally uphold the state’s fiduciary obligations and the interests of Native Hawaiians and the public in the disposition of public lands under this measure.

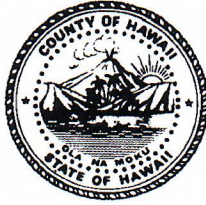
In light of the above concerns, should the Committee nevertheless choose to move this measure forward, OHA strongly urges the inclusion of amendments to uphold the State’s fiduciary obligations under the public trust and public land trust, and to provide concrete safeguards to protect the interests of the State, Native Hawaiians, and the general public in its limited land base. Such amendments should minimally include:

- An effective date that coincides with the end date of the “pilot project” established under Act 149;
- A sunset date to limit the provisions of the bill to the length of time currently contemplated;

- A limitation on the maximum aggregate fixed rent period and lease term for a lease to no more than 15-20 years beyond the original fixed rent period and/or lease term, which should be sufficient for financing purposes and which would reduce the potential for foreclosing substantial revenue generating opportunities;
- Conditions similar to those in Act 149, explicitly limiting any lease extensions to the length of time necessary for mortgage lending or financing of specified improvements, prohibiting lease extensions that exceed a percentage of the useful life of any improvements to be made, and requiring all proceeds from any financing or loan obtained as a result of an extension to be used specifically for proposed improvements;
- Explicit extension provisions providing for improvements to either revert to the State at the end of the lease term, or be removed by the lessee at the lessee's expense, at the election of the State;
- To ensure the general public has a fair shot at expressing interest in an auction and bidding for a lease,
 - A prohibition on extensions of lease terms prior to 3 years and within one year of the end date of a lease; and
 - A prohibition on the extension of a lease term where, after public notice of no less than one year, there is sufficient interest in the parcel by third parties to hold a public auction for the lease.

Therefore, OHA urges the Committee to **HOLD** HB1025 HD1, or minimally include amendments as listed above. Mahalo for the opportunity to testify on this measure.

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The Honorable Representative Sylvia Luke, Chair
And members of the Committee on Finance

February 25, 2019

Dear Chair Luke and Committee Members,

I appreciate the opportunity to testify in support of House Bill 1025, as amended to House Draft 1. Under Act 149 (SLH 2018), HRS Chapter 171 was amended to add a Part X, establishing the Hilo Community Economic District and allowing the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend or modify the fixed rental period or term of certain commercial, industrial, and resort leases of State land in the Hilo area, or to construct new substantial improvements, subject to certain conditions.

HB 1025 HD1 broadens and builds on Act 149 by providing incentives for further economic growth of this and other leased state land *if* the Land Board approves a lessee's development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. To address the concerns raised by DLNR, the Land Board will continue to exercise its discretion and judgment to discourage speculative activity by outside investors.

It is important to keep in mind that the State plays a major role in the development of the commercial, industrial, and resort areas of Hilo, and therefore the economic engine of East Hawai'i Island. Any tools that the Legislature can provide BLNR and DLNR to enhance this and other communities around our State are welcome.

As an aside, I feel that the language excluding the University of Hawai'i from the provisions of HB 1025 HD1 is appropriate because legislation providing for the improvement of state-owned lands in Hilo and elsewhere are separate from, and cannot be jeopardized by, the ongoing discussion about the future of Maunakea.

I ask that your Committee advance this bill.

Aloha Piha,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sue Lee Loy".

Sue Lee Loy
Council Member, District 3

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/24/2019 8:32:44 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Adam Bauer	HPM Building Supply	Support	No

Comments:

For the economic health of our communities, it is imperative that we have a fair and balanced approach to extending state leases. Especially so, when so much of our business community operates on state lands. This bill helps define the parameters that protect both the state and leaseholder to extend state leases. HPM Building Supply supports HB 1025!

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Submitted on: 2/25/2019 7:25:58 AM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kerry A. Umamoto	Hilo Fish Company	Support	No

Comments:

To House and Senate,

we are very much appreciative on working with state to improve the bill that allows us to extend our leases here on the big island. we are very much in support of this bill that will allow the Hilo economy to continue its busniess growth. HB 1025 HD1 will help us

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Submitted on: 2/22/2019 8:01:26 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Garth Yamanaka	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Support the passage of HB1025 HD1. It would be of great benefit to our community.

Mahalo for your consideration

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/23/2019 6:53:06 AM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Gordon Inouye	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Dear members of the House of Representatives, State of Hawaii,

I urge you to support HB 1025 in its' current form. I feel that these bill will appropriately address the concerns we all have about restoring the vitatily of the regions affected.

Sincerely, Gordon Inouye

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/23/2019 10:56:02 AM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Gordon Takaki	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I am in full support of HB1025 HD1.

The amended version is a great improvement to the original version of 1025.

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/23/2019 2:35:44 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Veronica Ohara	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

I strongly support HB1025, this will make a great difference for all business in Hawaii. Tourism is supposed to be our number one industry and this bill will take care of resorts and business supporting this important section of the economy.

Clearly parties opposing astronomy and TMT on Maunakea and Haleakala hope to use this Bill as a means to end leases for the observatories. The UH Board of Regents passed the Malama Maunakea Resolution and leases, as well as land are being evaluated and considered. Their concerns are taken seriously and are being addressed by the UH Administration.

Hawaii should be proud of all the work by the Department of Astronomy at UH and should be supportive.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this important legislation.

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/24/2019 8:45:42 AM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
cheryl	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

JUST SAY NO!!! The Governor does not need to circumvent the current paths to appease corporations and foreign governments. JUST say no!

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/24/2019 2:44:07 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Dee Green	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

Please oppose this bill and any reincarnation of it. This bill allows for the extension of leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.

We need to stop allowing large corporations and foreign interests to have long term leases without checks and balances.

Mahalo

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/24/2019 6:23:09 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Justin Keliipaakaua	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

I oppose HB 1025 for the following reasons:

This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of “public” lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.

The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are “ceded lands” or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled “Hawaii’s ‘ Ceded Lands’ and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai’i” that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai’i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai’i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of “native Hawaiians” as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of “public” lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions.

If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/24/2019 10:26:54 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Eileen Cain	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

Although I am not native Hawaiian, I support native Hawaiians' rights to their land. There should be NO development on "public" lands. Laws like HB 1025 (and SB 151) smack of "Jim Crow."

The ongoing land grab in Hawai'i is racist, in my opinion. The condescending, patronizing attitude toward native Hawaiians is also racist: the state seems to "like" Hawaiians --- as long as they stay in "their place," and the state is deluded into thinking that it gets to dictate what "their place" is. That is racism, plain and simple.

The state treats native Hawaiian people as if they are property. But native Hawaiian people are not the property of the state. The state does not have a right to treat them however it wants.

These so-called "ceded" lands do not belong to the University of Hawai'i or the state. They belong to the indigenous people of this land.

Please vote against lease extensions on "public" lands. Mahalo!

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Submitted on: 2/25/2019 6:45:14 AM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Gwen Morinaga-Kama	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 8:11:01 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
alan nagakura	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

i support this

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January 31, 2019

HB 1025, HD1 ; Support with Comments

House Committee, Finance
Chair: Rep. Sylvia Luke

Aloha Chair Luke,

HB 1025 seeks to extend the reforms that the Legislature established in Act 149, 2018 beyond the Hilo Economic District to similar economic leases statewide. Act 149 restricted the amending of HRS171 to only lands zoned commercial, industrial, and resort. This bill similarly restricts its amendments to only those types of lands. This bill was preceded by the December 24, 2018 report made to the Legislature as required by Act 149 in which the department recommended what is essentially contained in this bill. As the Department has referred to both in that report as well as earlier testimony there is concern that the reforms contained in Act 149 should be of statewide effect rather than a particular Economic District. Hence this bill.

HB1025 was drafted, submitted, and enjoyed the Strong Support of the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR). However the original version of the bill modified the statutory provisions now contained in HRS 171-192. The House Committee on Water, Land, and Hawaiian Affairs amended this bill in its HD1 version to reflect the 2018 Legislatures intent when drafting what became Act 149, 2018. The modifications contained in HB1025, HD1 would further the legislatures purpose and intent when debating and passing SB3058, CD1, now Act 149.

Please move this bill to the benefit of small businesses throughout the state and to improve the utilization of economic public lands in the public's interest.

Mahalo,

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Submitted on: Feb. 25, 2019

****OPPOSED to HB 1025 HD1****

Relating to: Relating to Lease Extensions on Public Lands

Submitted to: House Committees FIN

Aloha e Chair and Members of the Committee,

HB 1025 HD1 should be TERMINATED

Our legislators have the statutory and high fiduciary duty and obligation to protect the public lands trust and interests, resources, and rights of the public, beneficiaries, and Native Hawaiians.

Since the BLNR Chair Suzanne Case's testimony (dated Feb. 13, 2019) for HB 1025 HD1 has stated a DLNR position to **OPPOSE** this bill, then this measure should be **TERMINATED**.

The Governor's proposed measure (HB 1025) was an attempt to circumvent existing State laws as outlined in Hawaii Revised Statutes Chapter 171 to extend the leases of public lands for the benefit of special interest groups and private entities through the introduction of this bill.

The primary reason for a 65-year limit on the lease of public lands is so that an entity, organization, or private corporation doesn't obtain sole use and control of these **public lands** as if they actually owned them. This bill would allow the exclusive use of public lands for over 100 years – which is equal to 5 generations. This is the same type of special interest and corrupted political legislation that the Big Five companies orchestrated during the Territory era so that their plantations and other businesses could maintain exclusive long-term control and use of Hawai'i's public lands, waters, and resources.

When anyone enters into any type of lease agreement, they are fully aware of the terms of that lease. When such a lease for public lands expires, all interested parties should be given an open and competitive opportunity for the disposition of such lease which would give the highest potential return in revenues for the use of these public lands. Why should anyone be given an exclusive privilege to continue with their existing lease for another 40 or more years? Then at the end of an extended term, would they be given the same special interest privilege to extend it further? In essence, they've become the 'de facto' land owner of public lands.

Most of the arguments in support of this bill are unsubstantiated and misleading.

One such argument given is that a lessee won't have any economic incentive to invest in a property if the lease expires in 10 or 15 years. If it was a sound and properly-run business, it would have been investing in the property throughout the duration of the lease especially with the money saved from leasing the property versus having to obtain a mortgage for the acquisition of fee simple business property. In addition, with this absurd argument, then the State would be compelled to automatically renew these leases every 10-15 years before they expire. So, when would such a lease actually end with this argument? It wouldn't! It would be continuously renewed.

It's perplexing that BLNR Chair Case's previous testimony (dated Feb. 1, 2019) in support HB 1025 is in contradiction to the Department's testimony presented on the similar matter during the 2018 legislative session. At that time, the Department took a neutral position in testimony on legislative bills that proposed to allow existing lessees to secure extensions on leases that are scheduled to expire soon, due to the general public policy to promote fairness in competition in access to public property. The Department cited to Section 171-32, HRS, which favors issuance of leases by public auction, in support of its public policy statement. The Department additionally testified that another reason not to permit lease extensions was to preserve the State's legal right to the remaining value of the improvements after the lease term, if any. When leases expire, the lessees' improvements on the land revert to State ownership pursuant to the express terms of the lease, unless the State directs the lessee to remove the improvements. Assuming the improvements have some remaining useful life, the State is then in a position to auction leases of improved properties at potentially greater rents than the State would receive for a ground lease alone, which amounts can in turn be applied to public purposes. Ms. Case's new argument is not compelling that since the legislature approved lease extensions for the Hilo/Waiakea community economic district, that now there should be a 'blanket' application of this legislation on an island-wide basis that would be potentially applied to all commercial, industrial, and resort leases regardless of where they are located. The federal, state, and county governments have historically designated special programs, redevelopment initiatives, and economic zones based upon the needs of those specific areas – not 'blanket' designations to all areas.

This proposed bill is a blatant special interest bill for the benefit of private entities and corporations with a clear disregard of **Hawaii State Constitution Article XII, Section 4** (Public Trust) as well as other constitutional provisions and statutory laws.

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HB-1025-HD-1

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
David S. De Luz, Jr.	David S. De Luz, Sr. Enterprises, Inc.	Support	No

Comments:

RE: **SUPPORT of HB 1025, HD1**

We have been in business on the Big Island for over 60 plus years, located in the KIA area from the 1980's and are DLNR lessees and this version of the BILL would benefit from the language of this bill because it is simple, substantive, and fair and gives us the opportunity to continue our businesses.

I humbly request your consideration of the passage of this Bill and thank you for the opportunity to submit my testimony in SUPPORT!

Mahalo,

David S. De Luz, Jr.

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HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 7:04:15 PM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Ryan Mandado	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

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Submitted on: 2/25/2019 7:13:06 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Michael Miyahira	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

This will encourage existing lessees to make facility improvements in return for longer lease extensions.

LATE

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 7:43:01 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Wai'ala Ahn	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

Aloha,

I strongly oppose HB1025, and I ask you to do the same. Hawaiian lands need to stay in Hawaiian hands for future generations. Mahalo.

LATE

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 7:47:59 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
M. Llanes	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

No lease extensions especially for Mauna Kea, it is sacred space and all other tenants need to be removed. Thank you.

LATE

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 8:34:34 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kanoeuluwehianuhea Case	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

Aloha,

My name is Kanoeuluwehianuhea Case and I oppose SB1251 regarding extensions on public land leases from 65 years to proposed 100 years+. This proposal is neglectful on the part of the State should it be passed as many complications have been evident in the case of public land leases by corporations in Hawaii. The violations incurred by the leasing of our ceded lands held in public trust have been sustained through laws like these to promote the capitalization of our lands and resources instead of preserving it for generations to come. The way we utilize our lands needs to be carefully considered as well as the entities and corporations who are granted these leases to proceed with projects that promote destruction and not protection. There needs to be a balance restored in our Hawai'i at this time and I would suggest a halt in all approval of leases, lease extensions as well as sale of public lands as an emergency proclamation until further notice until the State of Hawaii can properly prioritize our needs out of respect of what the people of Hawaii deem appropriate in terms of developments that benefit our land, waters and people and not for the benefit of monetary profit by a few but instead wise choices that will sustain our land, waters and people to prosper without materialistic attachments to restore health, wellness and balance for all of us who live here in our Hawaii, our Home, where the breathe and bones of my ancestors dwell in existence Of all that is alive on this Earth. Mahalo, Kanoeuluwehianuhea Case, Emma Kauahe, Elijah and Haloa (my Keiki)

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 9:47:51 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

LATE

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Laura Acasio	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

Aloha House Representatives,

My name is Laura Acasio and I am from Hilo. I urge you to OPPOSE SB 1251. This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight. This amount of time is too large and inappropriate for accountability and proper management of these lands which are deemed public resource.

If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input. This is an egregious abuse of power and contradictory to the proper oversight of these lands and its environmental and cultural protections.

Thank you for receiving and taking my testimony into consideration.

Laura Acasio

LATE

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/25/2019 10:16:27 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
MaryAnn Omerod	Individual	Oppose	No

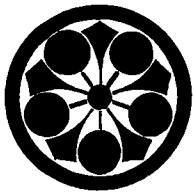
Comments:

This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of “public” lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 26, 2019
TIME: 1:30 P.M.
PLACE: Conference Room 308
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

**Testimony in Support of HB 1025 HD1
RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND**

Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. Sunsets on June 30, 2019.

NAME/TITLE Russell Arikawa, Realtor, Ginoza Realtor, Inc.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony in **support of HB 125 HD1** that will authorize the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend the leases for many businesses that have established themselves in the properties that have leases nearing termination. These businesses have been in limbo for many years not knowing whether or not their current lease will be extended or not. For that reason these businesses have not invested in any substantial improvements, gone out of business or sold their interest at a discounted price.

This bill will alleviate, if not all of their worries, most of their fears of not knowing where they will be in 5 years, or 20 years, etc. The thought of shutting down after many years of hard work to establish a business can be terrifying and cause stress and health problems, not to mention financial losses. This bill is way overdue for the people of these businesses on lease land.

Mahalo for the opportunity to express my **support for HB 1025 HD1** to extend the leases of public lands for our local businesses.

Sincerely,

Russell M. Arikawa, R
Ginoza Realty, Inc.
1158 Kinoole St.
Hilo, HI 96720
JCCIH, Board of Directors, Past President 2016-2017
KIAA, Board of Directors



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 6:52 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	James Manuwai
I reside at	Pahoa,hi
Email	waterbird808@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope yes bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Additional Comments: Hawaiian kingdom still exists.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Cheryl Burghardt
I reside at	O`ahu
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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Additional Comments: Really tired of the incessant attempts to provide for corporations and foreign governments at the expense of our islands and people

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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My name is	Rhonda Vincent
I reside at	Kapolei,Oahu
Email	lykshopping@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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My name is	Susan Rosier
I reside at	Waikahekahe Puna Moku o Keawe
Email	808sue808@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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Additional Comments: Breach of Trust!!

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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My name is	Stephanie Garcia
I reside at	Sedona Arizona
Email	Sbgart@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in another State.
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My name is	Tatiana Young
I reside at	Oahu
Email	youngtk@hawaii.edu
I am	registered to vote in another State.
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Additional Comments: Keep Hawaiian Lands in Hawaiian Hands

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My name is	Brian Jahn
I reside at	O'ahu
Email	jahn6@hawaii.edu
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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My name is	Jonah Cummings
I reside at	Aiea, oahu
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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My name is	Earle Medeiros
I reside at	Hana, Maui, HI
Email	Kuikahi55@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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Additional Comments: Stop the leasing of Hawaiian lands. Pay your debts by other means. Hasn't everyone done enough harm to us all already?

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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My name is	James Rodrigues
I reside at	Waianae oahu hawaii
Email	sparkyrodrigues@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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Additional Comments:

NO tREATY of ANNEXATIOn. NO TREATY of PEACE. NO LEASE EXTENTIOns or LEASE RENEWALs for MILITARY or UH

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I reside at	Hawai'i
Email	puacase@hawaiiantel.net
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Additional Comments:

How can you make an informed decision unless you have a list of all of the leases that would be impacted by these lease extensions. Those leases should be made available to not just the committee members but to the public as well, first and foremost. If this is just a bill to get Mauna kea's lease extended, thats an underhanded tactic to use to do so.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:07 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Keeaumoku Kapu
I reside at	Lahaina Maui
Email	kapukapuakea@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: Please oppose HB 1025.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:08 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kaiulani Lambert
I reside at	Kaneohe Hawaii
Email	kaiulambert@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Additional Comments:

Keep Hawaiian Lands in Hawaiian Hands. We don't need another rail. Waste of Tax dollars and benefiting special interest and military. Making us sitting ducks! Why should we forsake our Aquifers, our precious resource for scientist star gazing at planets and stars that no longer exists! Our children and future generations deserve better!

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Rebekah Luke
I reside at	Kaaawa, Oahu
Email	rebekahluke@hawaii.rr.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Mapuana Lukela
I reside at	Waianae
Email	mapuanalukela@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:15 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Tanya Aynessazian
I reside at	Kea'au HI
Email	taynessazian@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:23 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Faith Burkhardt
I reside at	My. View, Hawaii
Email	cheffaithb@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:30 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Huyanna Clearwater
I reside at	Maine
Email	huyanna.tyneshia@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in another State.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Additional Comments:

These Islands are not my home, Yet many i love and call family it is their home. The land their family have called home for generations. This distraction takes the home and future from the generations to come.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:28 PM
To: FINtestimony
Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kāhealani Alapa'i
I reside at	Big island Hawaii
Email	kahea56@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Additional Comments: Leasing of our ceded lands were wrong from the start, extending the lease is worse. It time for "Pono" to prevail

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:32 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Tina Grandinetti
I reside at	Mililani
Email	tinagrandi1@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:02 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Sharade Carba
I reside at	Waianae hawaii
Email	thecarbas@msn.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:59 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Catherina Amantiad
I reside at	Hilo, Hi
Email	camanti@hawaii.edu
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

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Additional Comments:

As Hawaiian and registered voter I'm against this house bill. For these reasons and the lack of transparency of the government system. I will not support a representative who represents me in this way. And I will follow up to see these ends. Aloha. Land management require better policy and leaders in our community.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:58 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Wainani Texeira
I reside at	Pearl City
Email	naniknows808@gmail.com
I am	not registered to vote at all
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

Additional Comments:

State needs to remedy illegal occupation situation and stop committing war crimes

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Pi'ikea Keawekane-Stafford
I reside at	Waimea, Moku o Keawe
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and	yes

Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Additional Comments:

As a beneficiary, wife and mother of beneficiaries who has zero access to land. I demand that no lands be leased to anyone but to our people first and foremost as these lands are for the sole benefit of the Kanaka Maoli. It is not right for "trustees" to cut the true recipients of these are out of the decision making process.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 7:54 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kaukaohu Wahilani
I reside at	85-1175 Kumaipo St Wai'anae Hi
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and	yes

Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	MeleLani Llanes
I reside at	Makakilo, O'ahu
Email	healthyyouandplanet@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Additional Comments:

I am especially concerned about not extending the lease on Mauna Kea. It is sacred space and no entity should be up there except hawaiian spiritual practitioners.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Wai'ala Ahn
I reside at	Pahoa, Hawai'i
Email	waiala.ahn@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kuuleinani Maunupau
I reside at	Waiohuli Homestead, Maui, Hawaii
Email	kuuleinani69@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Additional Comments: Please do not pass this bill.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:06 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Maelani Lee
I reside at	Waianae, Oahu
Email	cmaelani@aol.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:17 PM
To: FINtestimony
Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Tracy Adams
I reside at	Kailua-Kona
Email	loveislandliving@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: The government has proven that it bought and sold. You are public servants, act like it.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Sharon Willeford
I reside at	Kailua-Kona hi
Email	slwsurfing@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Maelani Lee
I reside at	Waianae, Oahu
Email	cmaelani@aol.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kamehaikana Santiago
I reside at	Waianae
Email	natplays@icloud.com
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and	yes

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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

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Additional Comments:

The Hawaiian Kingdom is in continuity and under a strange form of illegal occupation. The House Finance Committee has no jurisdiction in this matter or any matter of the Hawaiian Kingdom. Stop the hewa! Please do what is Pono!

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:38 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Edwin Kipu
I reside at	Mt View Hi
Email	kipuglass@hotmail.com
I am	not registered to vote at all
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope yes bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Additional Comments: Leave the Mauna alone

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:32 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Amalia Abrojena
I reside at	Ukiah CA
Email	amaliaopaliolani@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in another State.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood	yes

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:50 PM
To: FINtestimony
Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025



Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Karen Martin
I reside at	2168 Round Top Dr
Email	karenmartin808@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. ^{yes}

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope ^{yes} bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Additional Comments:

You all know you are committing war crimes here the the Hawaiian Kingdom! You are also in violation of my human rights a protected person under Article 4 of the Hauge and Geneva Convention! There are no statue of limitations on war crimes! I am asking all of you to be pono! Do the right thing! No extensions of Leases!

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kalani Pruet
I reside at	Kaunakakai, Hawaii
Email	kalanipruet@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. ^{yes}

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope ^{yes} bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Noelani Ahia
I reside at	HI
Email	jennahia@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope ^{yes} bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 8:58 PM
To: FINtestimony
Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025



Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Cameron Ahia
I reside at	Honolulu
Email	maheamoon40@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	D Loa
I reside at	Kalaoa, Hawai'i
Email	k21loa@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Shaeralee-Tiare Manosa
I reside at	Mana'e, Molokai, Hawaii
Email	smanosa@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope ^{yes} bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Additional Comments: STOP 99 Year Lease Extensions on Kanaka Maoli Lands!!

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
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Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Branden Manosa
I reside at	Manae, Molokai
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope yes bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Additional Comments: Stop 99 year lease extensions of Kanaka Maoli Lands

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 9:14 PM
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Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025



Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Charlene Kekino
I reside at	Kamalo, Molokai
Email	iomolokai@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Additional Comments: Stop 99 Year lease extensions of Kanaka Maoli Lands

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 9:15 PM
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Frank Kekino
I reside at	Kamalo, Molokai
I am	not registered to vote at all
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of “public” lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are “ceded lands” or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled “Hawaii’s ‘ Ceded Lands’ and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai’i” that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of	yes

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Additional Comments: Stop 99 year lease extensions of Kanaka Maoli Lands

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Ursula Chong
I reside at	Kamuela, Hi
Email	uchong@hawaii.edu
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Keke Manera
I reside at	Oahu
Email	manera_makaha@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Additional Comments: These attempts to strip away lands from Kanaka Maoli are an over kill. Stop doing this.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Shannon Rudolph
I reside at	Holualoa, Hawai'i Island
Email	shannonkona@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Additional Comments:

I am a 35 year Hawai'i resident. When I sign a lease I'm expected to take reasonable care of the property, or I could be breaking my lease agreement. This bill looks like an underhanded land grab to me. Please vote No.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 9:37 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Nanea Lo
I reside at	Honolulu, O'ahi, HI
Email	naneaclo@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope yes bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

finance1 - Sean

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Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025



Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Lenny Linsky
I reside at	Honolulu,HI
Email	linsky@hawaii.edu
I am	registered to vote in another State.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of “public” lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are “ceded lands” or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled “Hawaii’s’ Ceded Lands’ and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai’i” that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. ^{yes}

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 8:46 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Malia Marquez
I reside at	Maunaloa, O'ahu
Email	maliamarquez71@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions.	yes
Additional Comments:	Mahalo for your time.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 8:40 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Shelley Muneoka
I reside at	Heeia
Email	shelleymuneoka@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Additional Comments:

Aloha, my name is Shelley Muneoka and I strongly oppose this bill. The opening section of HB1025 is right in that many long-term state leases are set to expire in the next 15 years or so. The expiration of these leases are a long awaited opportunity to re-evaluate the use an encumbrance of these lands. Part of the purpose of having time limited leases, as opposed to a sale is so that the leasee understands that that land is not theirs to do as they please because at the end of the lease it will return to the landowner. It is in the interest of the state to keep this leverage in place which gives them the most options in terms of what to do with the land. In the recent Pohakuloa case it was found that the state did not inspect the leased area to ensure the lease

terms were being met, that the land was being cared for and in fact it was found that the area is littered with munitions. Not renewing (certainly not extending) or even the threat of not renewing a lease is an important enforcement tool. Please kill this bill.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 8:33 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kai Nishiki
I reside at	1676 Aa st
Email	kai.nishiki@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Puanani Rogers
I reside at	Kealia, Kauai
Email	rangien2010@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	SimbraLynn Kanaka'ole
I reside at	Keaau, Hawaii
Email	haynsunshine101@gmail.com
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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From: Shannon Rudolph <noreply@jotform.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 7:45 AM
To: FINtestimony
Subject: Re: Testimony in SUPPORT of HB1485 - Shannon Rudolph

 **Testimony in SUPPORT of HB1485**

Name	Shannon Rudolph
Email	shannonkona@gmail.com
Subject	Testimony in SUPPORT of HB1485 HD1
Testimony	<p>Aloha Chair Luke, committee members,</p> <p>I support establishment and implementation of a system of automatic voter (AVR) registration in the State of Hawaii. AVR is a step towards much needed modernization of elections in Hawaii.</p> <p>I especially like this bill because it extends access to our democracy to young people who will be eligible to vote by the subsequent election. Young people are the future of our state and the future of our society, and it is incredibly important that we welcome them into the democratic process as early as possible to cultivate a responsible and engaged citizenry.</p> <p>Hawaii has had the lowest voter turnout in the country for the last 20 years. AVR will help turn that around by increasing convenience and improving access to voting. As of December 2018, AVR has been approved in 17 states and the District of Columbia. The data shows that AVR improves the likelihood that people will vote by minimizing bureaucracy and requiring less time and effort from eligible voters.</p> <p>Additionally, AVR will enhance the security of our elections, save the state money, and expand voting access for traditionally under-represented people.</p> <p>Mahalo,</p>

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From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 7:39 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Halona Fukutomi
I reside at	Hilo, Hawaii
Email	halona42@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 7:01 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Ku'uMomilani White
I reside at	Hawi, HI. 96719
Email	76KanakaWahine@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: This land should be given back 100% to the indigenous people of Hawai'i. My people. As a direct descendant of Chief Kalaniopu'u, I order you to give back the lands to MY PEOPLE.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 6:44 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Robin Gusich-Batara
I reside at	Oahu
Email	Auntyleilei@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments:

Why should others be allowed to profit from our public lands when so many do not have a place to call home? Remember the homeless. Use the public lands to benefit the public.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 6:42 AM
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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	DEBORAH WARD
I reside at	Kurtistown Hawaii 96760
Email	cordylinecolor@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Luana Rivera Palacio
I reside at	Lake Forest, CA
Email	luripa@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in another State.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 6:06 AM
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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Susan Vickery
I reside at	Wailuku, Maui
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: Stop this irresponsible land grab

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Jonah Keohokapu
I reside at	Wahiawā ' O'ahu
Email	jk96786@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Anna Rizzo
I reside at	California
Email	hawaiianna@sbcglobal.net
I am	registered to vote in another State.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 3:13 AM
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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	josephine keliipio
I reside at	kailua kona, Hawaii
Email	jlili808@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: this bill is bad, please do not pass it. mahalo.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 1:03 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kealii Makekau
I reside at	2563 date st
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 11:41 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Jennifer Leina'ala Sleightholm
I reside at	Waikoloa, Hawai'i
Email	leinaala.mauna@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

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Additional Comments:

Aloha kākou. My name is Jennifer Leina'ala Sleightholm and I oppose HB1025. 65 year leases are already too long, as evidenced at Pōhakuloa where they failed to uphold their obligations as a lessee, and went unchecked for years. It took our kūpuna filing suit to have them held accountable. There are no checks and balances and it is a great injustice to our Hawaiian people to have lands held in leases for longer than their lifetimes while so many Hawaiians can't afford to own land with a home on it, in their homeland. Not only are we dispossessed of these lands, but it's leased out for change to foreign entities, while our people can't even afford to rent a home and are paying thousands of dollars a month if they do. These lands, while being leased, are being

bombed, poisoned by DU, chemicals, and riddled with military byproducts that will take decades to clean up and even then may not even be usable. Other leased lands are considered sacred spaces where no development should be taking place let alone extending leases that are already in place. The state has already failed in it's responsibilities to manage these areas with the current lease terms. Extending them would be negligent. It's time to change the current lease process and duration, and extending it is not the answer. Do not approve HB1025. Mahalo.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kalani Kalima
I reside at	Waimanalo, O'ahu
Email	kuaaina96795@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions.	yes
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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 11:33 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Gwen KimK
I reside at	Ka'a'awa HI
Email	epunikim@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: Stand with us for true justice.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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To: FINtestimony
Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Michael Inouye
I reside at	Honolulu
Email	banzaimike@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:34 PM
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Deb Kaili
I reside at	Waikoloa
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Vaihere Sunaoka
I reside at	Kailua, Oahu
Email	vaihere13@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:08 PM
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 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	John Omerod
I reside at	2226 Tantalus Drive
Email	nomerod@me.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	MaryAnn Omerod
I reside at	2226 Tantalus Drive
Email	naniomerod1@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:07 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Earl Deleon
I reside at	Kealakekua hiwail
Email	earlmaeldeleon@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: Au Mau ke ea oka Aina ika pono

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 10:03 PM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Hope Kallai
I reside at	Moloa'a
Email	lokahipath2@live.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: Utterly ridiculous - 99 year leases?

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	William Freitas
I reside at	Kailua, Kona Hi.
Email	kukulukuula@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: Threat, duress and coercion on Kanaka maoli and the right to exercise rights protected by law artical 12 section 7 traditional customary practices.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



From: 123ContactForm <noreply@123formbuilder.io>
 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 9:55 PM
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Kalaniakea Wilson
I reside at	Keeau Hi
Email	kupaiialoha@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments: No Hawaiian Kingdom notary all your actions are illegal! Stop now!

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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 Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 9:53 PM
 To: FINtestimony
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Jan Makepa
I reside at	Wai'anae, HI
Email	jmakepa808@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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 Sent: Tuesday, February 26, 2019 8:59 AM
 To: FINtestimony
 Subject: Testimony in Opposition to HB 1025

Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Sharron Regan
I reside at	Ewa Beach, Hawaii
Email	sumi1423@hotmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint	yes

Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Bradford Lum
I reside at	Honolulu Hawaii
Email	hawaiianbl@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	HRH PRINCESSTIFFANY REED
I reside at	Hilo, Big Island, Kingdom of HAWAI'I
Email	hawaiianmonarchy@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments:

I want to testify, we are a Kingdom and the UNITED STATES NEEDS TO RECOGNIZE OUR KINGDOM. I AS HEIR APPARENT, DO HAVE THE RIGHT THE STOP THIS, THE 30 METER TELESCOPE WILL NOT BE BUILT, AND THE OTHER TELESCOPES NEED TO BE TAKEN DOWN, THE MAUNA IS SACRED GROUNDS ON THE MAUNA OF OUR AINA. 808-989-0288 BRING SECRETARY OF STATE MIKE POMPEO HERE TO MEET ME AGAIN. MAHALO A NUI LOA. THIS IS NOT A JOKE. ENOUGH OF THE POLITICAL BOVINE. I HAVE THE SAY HERE IN THESE ISLANDS, MY TIES ARE BISHOP, CAMPBELL, KAWANANAKOA, PARKER

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)



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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Nathan Yuen
I reside at	Ewa Beach
Email	808nateyuen@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Sydney Naito
I reside at	Ma'ili, Oahu , Hawaii
Email	tnynma@yahoo.com
I am	not registered to vote at all
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments:

Hawaiian Kingdom is being occupied by the U. S. .Elections are elegal in an occupied state. There is not any proof Hawaiian Kingdom is any part of the U. S. Territory, never bought,never got out of "state of war" declared by president McKinley .

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

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Submitted on: 2/26/2019 11:17:46 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Mary Whispering Wind	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/26/2019 11:18:55 AM

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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Brian Murphy	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Mel Wildman
I reside at	Honolulu , HI
Email	wildman1101@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Additional Comments:

i oppose this bill 1025. UPDATED FEB 26 ,2019 . *****IMPORTANT NOTE ***** On November 7, 1978, amendments to the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention of 1978 were presented to the electorate for its approval. The Lieutenant Governor's computer report showed that all of the proposed amendments passed by the necessary constitutional margin. However, the Supreme Court of Hawaii in Kahalekai v. Doi, 60 H. 324, 590 P.2d 543 (1979), held that a number of the proposed amendments were not validly ratified. This is the same constitution being used today to deter our rights for our lands being amended by our Politicians. (2019).
***** Since then, UNITED STATES PUBLIC LAW 103-150. 103d Congress Joint Resolution 19 Nov. 23, 1993. To acknowledge the 100th anniversary of the January 17, 1893 overthrow of the Kingdom of Hawaii. We now come to the final conclusion of the fact.....Legislators and Senate Committee members have been utilizing the Constitution incorrectly. Furthermore, possibly illegally. If any Bills for an Act were amended by Senate from this constitution, it would now be questionable. Reason ?.... 1978 slated a Constitutional Convention, the last Constitution. Then, in Jan 1993, both Senators

Daniel Akaka and Daniel Inouye agree to the overthrow of the Kingdom of Hawai'i. This leads us to the final Apology by the United States under Public Law 103-150. 103d Congress. And one Former Governor who stated in a video Hawai'i is not a State. If this is true. We then can assume that HAWAI'I STATE GOVERNMENT has NOT made a clear and virtue statement or conceded that Hawai'i "is a State". And because no other concession of Constitution was made after the Apology letter to the people of Hawai'i.....WE NOW KNOW that the AMENDMENTS by LEGISLATORS AND SENATE COMMITTEE members are , null and void or ILLEGAL ! Unless Hawai'i State governor and its government can prove HAWAI'I is a " state ". RE : Frivolous amendments by Legislators an Senators. Had a meeting with my associates today after being at the States fake Capitol. Our Agenda became clear to see. How legal is the system in Hawai'i.....the answer will shock you !...in fact, it may open a new can of worms..one that the State Senate and Legislators don't want you to know. Any Bills for an Act that was slated by Hawai'i Revised Statues thru the Hawaiian Constitution after 1993 may be affected. In fact, we were thinking more in the line of 1959 up to present date. And that reason is, Hawai'i is not a State. Our Prognosis ; Reveals. List of constitutions. 1840 Constitution of the Kingdom of Hawai'i 1852 Const^{it}ution of the Kingdom of Hawai'i 1864 Const^{it}ution of the Kingdom of Hawai'i 1887 Const^{it}ution of the Kingdom of Hawai'i 1893 Constitution of the Kingdom of Hawai'i 1894 Const^{it}ution of the Republic of Hawai'i 1950 Hawai'i State Constitutional Convention 1959 Hawai'i State Const^{it}utional Convention 1968 Hawai'i State Const^{it}utional Convention 1978 Hawai'i State Constitutional Convention The last order of Constitution was in 1978...3 other failed thereafter...And this was done before we were told that the people of Hawai'i would receive an apology for the overthrow of the Hawaiian Kingdom. The 1978 Hawaii State Constitutional Convention is considered the watershed political event in the modern State of Hawaii. The convention established term limits for state office holders, provided a requirement for an annual balanced budget, laid the groundwork for the return of federal land such as the island of Kaho'olawe, and most importantly created the Office of Hawaiian Affairs in an effort to right the wrongs done towards native Hawaiians. Since the overthrow of the Kingdom of Hawai'i in 1893. The event also created an ambi^tious project of preservation of the Hawaiian culture including the adoption of Hawaiian diacritical marks for official usage, use of Hawaiian names, etc. The Hawaiian language became the official state language of Hawaii for the first time since the overthrow. (But violated by Hawai'i Courts). The Constitution of 1978 that created the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and declared the Hawaiian language to be one of the official languages of the state. A major outgrowth of the constitutional convention was the launching of the political careers of men and women who would later dominate Hawaiian politics. Delegates to the convention included: Carol Fukunaga, future legislative leader Helene Hale, future legislative leader Jeremy Harris, future Mayor of Honolulu Les Ihara, Jr., future legislative leader Barbara Marumoto, future legislative leader Joseph M. Souki, future Speaker of the House John David Waihee III, future Governor Wildman Feb 26, 2019. We know now about the Hawai'i revised Statues and the frivolous amendments used to support The Bill of an Act....WHEREAS; A legal matter of concern may be sent to the Supreme Court. As a legal Question of law. Whereas; its is not known as to the extent of how far back we may have to research in land matters that was affected, And, how it may affect even now lands at present !... Whereas; Any lands of dispute in the past that were awarded to Developers after public dispute may now become recalled.

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Chair Luke	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Reno Akeo
I reside at	Waimanalo,O'ahu, Hi.
Email	renoakeo@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the	yes

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Additional Comments:

Sovereignty Now!! Justice now!! All kanaka land.Fk USA and this fake ass state.God knows the truth an he will seek punishment for justice for us kanaka

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Joseph Heaukulani
I reside at	Honolulu
Email	joseph.heaukulani@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/26/2019 11:55:27 AM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

LATE

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kamuela Werner	Individual	Oppose	No

Comments:

Aloha:

I strongly oppose HB1025 HD1.

Me ke aloha,

Kamuela Werner, MPH

Wai'anae Resident

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Noe Lopes
I reside at	Waianae
Email	noelopes4625@gmail.com
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
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Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)

BEFORE THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE
February 26, 2019

House Bill No. 1025 HD1
Relating to Lease Extension

Aloha Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen and Members of the Committee,

KPAC submits the following testimony in OPPOSITION of House Bill 1025 SD1 which authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources (BLNR) to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use for the following reasons:

1. This bill would provide the BLNR the power to extend leases of “public” lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.
2. The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are “ceded lands” or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled “Hawaii’s ‘Ceded Lands’ and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai‘i” that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown and Government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai‘i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai‘i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of “native Hawaiians” as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.
3. Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of “public” lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions.
4. If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input.

Finally, KPAC respectfully requests that an inventory of the lands currently being leased out that would qualify for a lease extension (if legislation like this is passes) be done before moving down this road so that we can alleviate any unintended consequences.

Respectfully submitted,

M. Healani Sonoda-Pale
Chair, KPAC

LATE

HB-1025-HD-1

Submitted on: 2/26/2019 3:01:12 PM

Testimony for FIN on 2/26/2019 1:30:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Kapua Keliikoa-Kamai	Individual	Oppose	Yes

Comments:

Aloha kakou,

I stand in STRONG OPPOSITION of HB 1025 HD1 - RELATING TO LEASE EXTENSIONS ON PUBLIC LAND. Authorizes the Board of Land and Natural Resources to extend leases of public lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use upon approval of a proposed development agreement to make substantial improvements to the existing improvements. Sunsets on June 30, 2029.

Current lease terms of 65 years, or less, is more than adequate for any business. Those lessees should compete with other prospective lessee's at the fair market value at the term of their lease. They shouldn't be given priority to extend, everyone should have the equal opportunity to use the PUBLIC LANDS.

Please stop facilitating land mongers who will eventually feel like the "owners" and request a forced lease to fee conversion, similar to what occurred to Kamehameha Schools in the 1990's. These are still Hawaiian Kingdom lands that are held in TRUST for the Native Hawaiians. Kill this hewa bill!

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Jennifer Keys
I reside at	Honolulu and Seattle
Email	jenkeys@yahoo.com
I am	registered to vote in another State.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite	yes

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Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Vice Chair Cullen	yes
Dear House Finance (FIN) Committee:-FIN Committee Members: Eli, Gates, Hashimoto, Holt, Kitagawa, Kobayashi, Matayoshi, Nakamura, Nishimoto, Todd, Wildberger, Yamashita, McDermott	yes
My name is	Emma Ulalia Oto-Pale
I reside at	Kaunakakai, Molokai
I am	registered to vote in Hawai'i.
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-This bill would provide the Board of Land and Natural Resources the power to extend leases of "public" lands for commercial, industrial, resort, or government use with little or no public input or oversight.	yes
I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:-The majority of the lands held in the public lands trust are "ceded lands" or Hawaiian Kingdom crown and government lands. Professor Williamson Chang stated in a lecture given on October 1, 2014 entitled "Hawaii's' Ceded Lands' and the Ongoing Quest for Justice in Hawai'i" that the Newlands Resolution (a joint Resolution of the House and Senate) was incapable of acquiring these Hawaiian Kingdom public lands. Despite this analysis, the former Crown	yes

and government lands of the Kingdom of Hawai'i were illegally transferred to the US and as a condition of Statehood was transferred to the State of Hawai'i to be held as a public trust for 5 purposes including the betterment of the conditions of "native Hawaiians" as defined in the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920. If these lands are used for any other object other than the 5 purposes it could be considered a breach of trust for which suit can be brought by the United States.

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- Allowing the extension of leases up to 99 years would set up lessees as pseudo land owners of "public" lands that may eventually lead down a slippery slope of lease to fee conversions. yes

I oppose House Bill 1025 for the following reasons:- If passed this law could be used to extend the UH lease of the Mauna Kea summit for the Thirty Meter Telescope bypassing the EIS mandated by the Governor and a lease application process that is supposed ensure public notice, oversight, and input. yes

Correct answers: 3 out of 1 (300%)