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Statement of
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before the
SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM
Monday, March 11, 2019
2:45 PM
State Capitol, Conference Room 414

in consideration of
HB 1404, HD2
**RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,
AND TOURISM BUDGET.**

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

The Office of Planning (OP) strongly supports HB 1401, HD2, which adds positions to the Office of Planning for its proposed Sustainability Division.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.



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The Hawaii Community Development Authority (HCDA) **Supports** HB
1404, HD2 which *adjusts* the operating budget for the fiscal biennium 2019-2021.

However, we respectfully request that the appropriation be funded from the
revolving fund (W funds), instead of Special Funds (B funds).

Thank you for the opportunity to offer support of HB 1404, HD2.

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