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**TESTIMONY OF  
THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS  
TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, CULTURE AND THE ARTS  
February 23, 2022, Conference Room 225 & Videoconference at 3:00PM  
G.M. 632**

**SUBMITTING FOR CONSIDERATION AND CONFIRMATION TO  
THE STATE FOUNDATION ON CULTURE AND THE ARTS,  
GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE  
JILL KURAMOTO RANDALL  
FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE 06-30-2026.**

Chair Taniguchi and members of the Committee, I am Jonathan Johnson, Executive Director of the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts (SFCA), and I am pleased to testify in **SUPPORT** of the nomination of Jill Kuramoto Randall to serve as a commissioner for the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts.

Ms. Kuramoto received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism from San Diego State University and a Master of Science degree in Public Relations at Quinnipiac University. Ms. Randall's two decades as a communications professional includes working for the Hawaii State Senate as the Communications Director, Chief Communications Officer for the Honolulu Board of Water Supply, Anchor/Reporter for KITV and currently the Chief Communications Officer and Client Development Director at RKT Media Hawaii and as an Associate at Pineapple Tweed.

We are confident in Ms. Kuramoto Randall's ability and expertise in media, communications and events will make a positive contribution in support of the SFCA and its mission to promote, perpetuate and preserve culture and the arts in Hawai'i.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on this matter in support of Ms. Kuramoto Randall's nomination.

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Comments:

I strongly support the confirmation of Jill Kuramoto Randall for this commission. Thank you.