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Statement of  
**Craig K. Nakamoto, Executive Director**  
Hawai'i Community Development Authority

before the  
**SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM**

Thursday, April 13, 2023  
1:00 PM  
State Capitol, Conference Room 229 & Videoconference

In consideration, of  
**GM 668**

Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Hawai'i Community  
Development Authority (Kaka'ako District), Gubernatorial Nominee,  
KEVIN SAKODA, for a term to expire 06-30-2027.

Chair DeCoite, Vice Chair Wakai and members of the Committee.

The Hawai'i Community Development Authority (HCDA) **supports GM 668**, that  
considers confirmation for Mr. Kevin Sakoda as a Kaka'ako District Community  
Member, on the HCDA Board.

As a successful finance and asset manager, as well as a homeowner and  
resident in the Kaka'ako District, member Sakoda brings a unique and valued expertise  
to the HCDA board.

We look forward to continuing to work with Member Sakoda, we appreciate his  
willingness to serve, and we thank the Senate for its support of HCDA and this  
nominee.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

**GM-668**

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Testimony for EET on 4/13/2023 1:00:00 PM

<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Testify</b>
Gerard Silva	Individual	Oppose	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

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