



February 14, 2024

**SUPPORT THE INTENT OF SB 2613
RELATING TO INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

Senate Committee on Labor and Technology
The Honorable Henry J.C. Aquino, Chair
The Honorable Sharon Y. Moriwaki, Vice Chair

Senate Committee on Government Operations
The Honorable Angus L.K. McKelvey, Chair
The Honorable Mike Gabbard, Vice Chair

Thursday, February 15, 2024; 3:10 p.m.
Conference Room 225 & Videoconference
Hawaii State Capitol; 415 South Beretania Street

Chairs Aquino and McKelvey, Vice Chairs Moriwaki and Gabbard, and members of the Committees,

Thank you for this opportunity to offer our support for SB 2613, Relating to Information Technology. My name is Richard Zheng, President and CEO of Servpac.

As a locally owned company established in 2004, Servpac has evolved from a Hawaii telecommunications provider to an all-in-one cloud-based technology solution, offering high speed fiber internet, VoIP phones, cloud computing, data center colocation and managed IT services. We understand the unique challenges that Hawaii's businesses face and we provide customized solutions to keep them connected in a mission-critical world.

Data centers and fiber optic networks are key contributors to the development and expansion of Hawaii's high-tech sector. These infrastructures facilitate the creation of high-paying jobs in the technology industry, thereby diversifying Hawaii's economy.

Ultimately, we see value in data facilities having system backup which includes dual-powered, redundant electrical, distribution and storage system, and highly redundant server and network architectures.

Mahalo for allowing Servpac to share our perspectives on SB 2613.