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TESTIMONY BY LUIS P. SALAVERIA DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FINANCE TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS ON SENATE BILL NO. 934, S.D. 1

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RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET

The Department of Budget and Finance (B&F) offers comments on this bill.

Senate Bill (S.B.) No. 934, S.D. 1, appropriates \$572,695,000 in special fund ceiling for the Mass Transit Special Fund for FY 26 to make disbursements pursuant to Section 248-2.7, HRS.

B&F notes that this amount is included in both FY 26 and FY 27 via the Governor's FB 2025-27 Executive Biennium Budget (House Bill No. 300 and S.B. No. 473) and would prefer its inclusion in either of those bills.

Thank you for your consideration of our comments.