STAND. COM. REP. NO. 15

Honolulu, Hawaii OCT 3 0 2007

RE: GOV. MSG. NO. 106

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa President of the Senate Twenty-Fourth State Legislature Second Special Session of 2007 State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Water and Land, to which was referred Governor's Message No. 106, submitting for study and consideration the nomination of:

HAWAI'I COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

G.M. No. 106 JOSEPH L. DWIGHT IV, for a term to expire 6-30-2008,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nominee from the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism; Hawaii Community Development Authority; and three individuals.

Mr. Dwight is the President and General Manager of First American Title Company, Inc. He received a BA degree from the University of Hawaii at Manoa and a JD degree from the William S. Richardson School of Law. He worked for the law firm of Stubenberg & Durrett, Attorneys at Law, from 1995 to 2000. The nominee holds membership in the Young Presidents' Organization, The Pacific Club, Mid-Pacific Country Club, and Hawaii State Bar Association. Mr. Dwight is a trustee of the Le Jardin Academy.

Your Committee notes from the written testimony of Mr. Dwight that he takes his appointment very seriously. He states that Hawaii is a unique place and he has an obligation to ensure that the State remains so for the sake of future generations, particularly as to the Kaka'ako and Kalaeloa areas.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Water and Land that is attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the position to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Water and Land,

CLAYTON HEE, Chair

The Senate Twenty-Fourth Legislature State of Hawaii

Record of Votes Committee on Water and Land WTL Advise and Consent

Governor's Message No.:*	Committee Referral:		Date:	Date: 10/25/07	
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The Committee is reconsidering its decision					
The Recommendation is:					
Advise and Consent Not Advise and Consent 2345					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
HEE, Clayton (C)					
KOKUBUN, Russell S. (VC)					
FUKUNAGA, Carol					
TOKUDA, JIII N.					
WHALEN, Paul					
TOTAL		4			
Recommendation: Adopted Not Adopted					
Chair's or Designee's Signature:					
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