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To: The Honorable Scott Y. Nishimoto, Chair
and Members of the House Committee on Judiciary

Date: Wednesday, March 15, 2017

Time: 2:00 P.M.

Place: Conference Room 325, State Capitol

From: Maria E. Zielinski, Director
Department of Taxation

Re: S.B. 1218, S.D. 1, Relating to Statutory Revision: Amending Various Provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes and the Session Laws of Hawaii for the Purposes of Correcting Errors and References, Clarifying Language, and Deleting Obsolete or Unnecessary Provisions

The Department of Taxation (Department) appreciates the intent of S.B. 1218, S.D. 1, and provides the following comments for your consideration.

S.B. 1218, S.D. 1, which is effective upon approval, makes various technical, non-substantive amendments to the Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) and Session Laws of Hawaii. Sections 31 through 60 of the bill amend various sections of the tax laws in title 14, HRS. Section 77 of the bill amends Act 76, Session Laws of Hawaii 2016, regarding naphtha fuel.

The Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor made amendments to Sections 36 and 44 of the bill at the Department's request. The Department appreciates the consideration of its suggestions.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments.

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Written Comments

SB1218, SD1

RELATING TO STATUTORY REVISION: AMENDING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE HAWAII REVISED STATUTES AND THE SESSION LAWS OF HAWAII FOR THE PURPOSES OF CORRECTING ERRORS AND REFERENCES, CLARIFYING LANGUAGE, AND DELETING OBSOLETE OR UNNECESSARY PROVISIONS

Testimony by the Legislative Reference Bureau
Charlotte A. Carter-Yamauchi, Director

Presented to the House Committee on Judiciary

Wednesday, March 15, 2017, 2:00 p.m.
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Chair Nishimoto and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of Senate Bill No. 1218, S.D. 1. Bills such as Senate Bill No. 1218, S.D. 1, have come to be known as the "statutory revision bill" and are prepared and submitted by the Legislative Reference Bureau pursuant to our statute revision functions, set forth in chapter 23G of the Hawaii Revised Statutes.

All amendments are intended to be technical in nature to correct errors, omissions, or obsolete law. They either contain no substantive change to the law, or if they do have substantive effect, they are intended to correct the types of errors noted in the memorandum attached to our testimony on Senate Bill 1218, before the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor. Also, please note that the bill was reviewed prior to introduction by the Office of the Attorney General, and we revised the bill to address any concerns raised.

The Bureau would be pleased to assist the Committee in preparing the committee report and making any changes to the revision bill that the Committee deems appropriate. Should the Committee have any follow-up questions, please contact Velma Kaneshige, Assistant Director for Revision of Statutes, by phone at (808) 587-0657 or by e-mail at kaneshige@capitol.hawaii.gov.

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