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Honorable Colleen Hanabusa
President of the Senate and Members
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2009
State of Hawai'i

Honorable Calvin Say
Speaker, House of Representatives and Members
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature
Regular Session of 2009
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SUBJECT: Report in Response to Act 225 (2008 Session Laws of Hawaii)

Madame President and Mr. Speaker and Members:

The University of Hawaii at Manoa College of Social Sciences Public Policy Center is pleased to transmit the enclosed Report in Response to Act 225, Relating to Sustainability.

As directed, it reviewed the Hawaii 2050 Sustainability Plan ("Plan"), consulted with leaders and organizations relevant to the main of goals of the Plan, and reviewed defined data, data sources and benchmarks for the Plan goals. Findings and recommendations are presented for your consideration.

Should you have questions, please feel free to call Dr. Susan Chandler, SSPPC Director, at 956-4237.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Virginia Hinshaw".

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H2050 Report on Sustainability Update

Aloha,

The College of Social Sciences Public Policy Center is happy to announce that the Report in Response to Act 225, 2008 Session Laws of Hawaii Relating to Sustainability is now available on the Center's website, www.publicpolicycenter.hawaii.edu. A copy of this report is on the attached CD.

This research is based on email surveys, cross sector dialogs held in each county and concludes with recommendations and strategies for moving ahead.

Thank you for your continuing support.

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