Chairperson Luke and Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on House Bill No. 889 HD1. This bill proposes to increase the pesticide licensing fee, require annual renewal of pesticide licenses, and amend the authorized uses of the pesticide use revolving fund through a mandated Memorandum of Understanding with the University of Hawaii College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources (UH CTAHR), and establishment of an environmental toxicologist position within the Pesticides Branch and a pesticide extension specialist within UH CTAHR.

While the Department is in support of this measure to increase licensing fees, the Department has reservations about other aspects of the Bill which include:

- Change from a 3-year license cycle to an annual pesticide license;
- Diversion of a significant portion of the Pesticide Use Revolving Funds to support environmental toxicologist and pesticide extension specialist positions;
- Unnecessary administrative requirement of a Memorandum of Understanding with UH CTAHR;
• Appropriating funds for specific purposes without due cause or consideration for existing needs.

The change from a three-year license period to an annual license will be an unwarranted burden to current staff in the Registration & Technical Review Unit, which consists of only three specialists, 2 staff members and 1 supervisor. There are approximately 9,000 products currently licensed in the state with an average of 3,000 licenses being renewed each year, taking two months to process when considering core responsibilities. Requiring an annual license will triple this time-requirement and be an unnecessary burden, given that this unit also manages all environmental monitoring activities.

The Department currently has six environmental health specialist positions that are dedicated to providing outreach and education to the agricultural and structural pest control industries as well to other pesticide applicators, providing pesticide safety and Worker Protection Standard trainings. Branch staff have independently created materials and already work with Cooperative Extension agents in each county. Funds to support environmental toxicologist and pesticide extension specialist positions will severely reduce the amount available for such educational activities, which are required by the Department’s cooperative agreement with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

A memorandum of understanding with UH CTAHR appears to be unnecessary. The Department regularly provides funding to UH CTAHR through contracts to help support activities of the Pesticide Safety Education Program. This program includes safety education short courses, “Pesticide Risk Reduction Education”, held on multiple islands, development of study guides relevant to the certification exams for applicators, quarterly newsletters providing updates on pesticide safety, regulations, and education, annual pesticide safety presentations, maintenance of the program website (http://pesticides.hawaii.edu/epp/pat.html), and participation in an annual conference to receive updates on national laws, regulations, and policies about regulation of pesticides in addition to other issues. The purpose of this revision seems to be already addressed through existing contracts.
A specific purpose identified in the proposed bill is the development of an electronic data collection system for pesticide reporting. This type of system is cost prohibitive, as any data management system requires a large amount of time and funds. The California Department of Pesticide Regulation’s (CA DPR) costs to administer the data collection and processing of pesticide use reports is approximately $1.8 million annually. This does not include costs to initially develop the data collection system for CA DPR, which was in excess of $900,000 for the first couple of years, with $30,000 per year in maintenance fees annually. It must be noted that many other states with more fiscal resources have attempted similar systems, but have since abandoned this effort due to high resource needs involved in managing such a system.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.
HB 889 HD1 – RELATING TO PESTICIDES

Chair Luke and Vice Chair Cullen, and members of the House Committee on Finance:

Thank you for this opportunity to testify in support of HB 889 HD1, which increases the pesticide licensing fee and amends authorized uses for moneys in the pesticide use revolving fund: and establishes an environmental toxicologist position within the department of agriculture and a pesticide extension specialist, through a contract with the department of agriculture, within the University of Hawai‘i College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources (CTAHR).

While we defer to the Department of Agriculture on the fiscal and management implications HB 889 HD1 within the department, and have no wish to limit ongoing training efforts by the department, we strongly support the self-funded partnership proposed in this measure between the Department of Agriculture and the University of Hawai‘i in order to comprehensively address pesticide education, training and monitoring in the State of Hawai‘i.

As written, this bill would increase infrastructure within both the Department of Agriculture and the College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa, to address this area of much concern to both the agricultural community and the public at large. This would be done through user fees, at no cost to the State general fund.

As stated in HB 889 HD1, in complementation to the pesticide applicator certification training undertaken by the Department of Agriculture, a pesticide extension specialist with the College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources would focus on development and dissemination of educational materials; collaborating in planning and design of projects to develop integrated pest management methods and limit pesticide drift; and exploring other partnerships to provide funding for these activities. Beyond this, a pesticide extension specialist also addresses education of farmers and other users in proper choice of pesticides for different pests and purposes; integration of pesticides with other non-chemical pest control methods in order to minimize pesticide
use and environmental exposure; extension of new research results to help farmers change and adapt their pest control practices; and education of the public on pesticide risks and benefits, and response to public concerns.

We have no doubt that the activities of the pesticide extension specialist would lead to additional federal funding to Hawai‘i, and more comprehensive education and training efforts than can be accomplished by either the Department or the University in isolation. For example, prior to his retirement a decade ago, Dr. Barry Brennan held a comparable position at the University and was successful in obtaining grant funds from US EPA and USDA to found and support immigrant farmer training in pesticide safety and effective pest management. Through distribution of educational materials, Dr. Brennan was also active in public education, including mitigating public concerns during the heptachlor emergency of the 1980s.

Without a funding mechanism such as that proposed in HB 889 HD1, a university pesticide extension specialist position is now difficult to justify in a time of fiscal austerity at the University of Hawai‘i. While addressing a local need, such a position may not directly contribute to student tuition revenues that are a significant part of current university budget models. Thus, we would be glad to partner with the Department of Agriculture on this comprehensive approach to pesticide education and training, if the department views HB 889 HD1 as a viable approach.
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Chair Luke and Members of the House Committee on Finance:

I am Paul Oshiro, testifying on behalf of Alexander & Baldwin, Inc. (A&B) on HB 889 HD1, A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO PESTICIDES. We support this bill.

Pesticide use in Hawaii is extensively regulated by both the Federal Environmental Protection Agency and the State Department of Agriculture under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and the Hawaii Pesticide Law (Chapter 149A, HRS). Depending upon the pesticide and its intended use, the EPA and the State impose mandatory conditions and requirements that are science based and designed to protect the pesticide applicator, the general public, and the environment. These requirements may include, but are not limited to, maximum application rates, using only specified application methods and equipment, application only under specified weather conditions, the observation of buffer zones, and, in the case of restricted use pesticides, allowing use only by or under the direct supervision of certified pesticide applicators.

All certified pesticide applicators are presently required to keep records of all restricted use pesticide applications and to make these records available for inspection by the State Department of Agriculture for two years. In addition, records of all
restricted use pesticide sales must be submitted, and made available to the State Department of Agriculture. These disclosures enable the State Department of Agriculture to cross check applicator inventory and use records with vendor sales records.

Pesticide labels contain specific instructions such as what the pesticide may be used on, how much of the pesticide may be used, how often the pesticide can be used, and worker protection requirements. Federal Law states that the pesticide label is the law, and that use of the pesticide that is not in conformance with the label is a violation of Federal Law.

This bill increases pesticide licensing fees, modifies authorized uses for the pesticide use revolving fund, and appropriates funds for various pesticide related positions and activities. We support this bill as it provides additional non-general fund revenue to enhance the ability of the State Department of Agriculture and the U.H. College of Tropical Agriculture & Human Resources to monitor and regulate pesticide use throughout the State of Hawaii. In that pesticide distribution, sales, and use are presently heavily regulated at both the Federal and the State levels of government, the establishment of new positions for an environmental toxicologist and pesticide extension specialist along with additional appropriations for certification activities, compliance monitoring, electronic data collection, educational materials, integrated management technologies, and pesticide disposal will further strengthen the State’s pesticide oversight and enforcement capabilities. Thus, we believe that this bill will further protect and safeguard employees, the general public, and the environment from negative impacts resulting from improper pesticide use.
Based on the foregoing, we respectfully request your favorable consideration on this bill. Thank you for the opportunity to testify.
March 1, 2017

The Sylvia Luke  
Chair, House Committee on Finance  
Hawaii House of Representatives  
Hawaii State Capitol, Room 308  
Honolulu, HI 96813  

RE: HB 889, HD1; RELATING TO PESTICIDES (SUPPORT)  

Dear Chair Luke:

On behalf of the Western Plant Health Association (WPHA), I am writing to express our support of HB 889, HD1, which would increase the annual registration fee for pesticide products in Hawaii. WPHA represents the interests of fertilizer and pesticide manufacturers, agricultural biotechnology providers, and agricultural retailers in Hawaii, California, and Arizona.

Pesticides provide an important tool in protecting agricultural commodities, as well as the homes and health of the citizens of Hawaii. Without these tools, pests can destroy crops, damage dwellings, and introduce serious diseases like asthma, salmonella, and allergic rhinitis which affect the most sensitive population groups. To assure that HDOA has the resources available to oversee and enforce regulations that help assure the safe use of products we believe raising the registration fees to increase the pesticide revolving fund is needed. HDOA assesses products for Hawaii specific concerns, regulates their safe application and use, investigates concerns of potential miss-use, and educates users and other interested parties on their safe and legal use. HB 889, HD1 will provide HDOA increased funding so that it may effectively carry out its regulatory responsibilities.

WPHA defers to HDOA regarding the amendments to the HD1 that removed the appropriation amounts contained in PART IV of the draft, and urges your support of the department’s regulatory oversite.

WPHA supports the goals of HB 889, HD1 to enhance the efforts of DOA in assuring that all pesticide products are assessed and used safely. We thank the committee for its commitment to helping HDOA fulfill its mandate. For these reasons WPHA supports HB 889, HD1 and asks the committee for a yes vote. We thank you for your consideration of our comments.

Sincerely,

Renee Pinel  
President/CEO
Testimony from Jeff Case, Senior Director Government Affairs, CropLife America

In support of HB 889 – Relating to Pesticides

Wednesday, Mar. 1, 11 am – House Committee on Finance

Aloha Chair Luke and members of the committee,

CropLife America (CLA) represents the manufactures and registrants of pesticide products that are used for agriculture production. We and our farmers are committed to using these valuable crop protection products in a manner that is safe for agricultural community as well as our neighbors. We support HB 889.

There are a number of pesticide measures introduced this legislative session which puts additional financial burden on the State Department of Agriculture, and specifically on the Pesticide Division. HB 889 would provide the HDOA with the necessary funds to do more including monitoring, enforcement, and outreach and education. It is not often that an industry is open to a fee increase. But it is important to provide the public peace of mind in the work that we do as farmers and the pesticides that we use to put food on their tables.

Mahalo for your consideration.
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Thank you kindly for considering my testimony in strong support of the measure.

Sincerely,

Elif Beall
Kilauea, HI
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TESTIMONY FROM BENNETTE MISALUCHA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

In Support of HB 889, HD1
Relating to Pesticides
Increases the Annual Registration Fee for Pesticide Products in Hawaii

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
March 1, 2017, 11:00 a.m.
Conference Room 308

Chair Luke and members of the committee:

Hawaii Crop Improvement Association (HCIA) is a Hawaii-based non-profit organization that promotes modern agriculture to help farmers and communities succeed. Through education, collaboration, and advocacy, we work to ensure a safe and sustainable food supply, support responsible farming practices, and build a healthy economy.

HCIA supports HB 889, HD1, which seeks to increase the annual registration fee for pesticide products in Hawaii.

HCIA recognizes the importance of pesticides as a tool to protect both agricultural product and Hawaii’s citizenry. We support efforts that help maintain and assess the proper regulation and enforcement of these tools. We believe that raising the registration fees to increase the pesticide revolving fund is needed to assure that the Hawaii Department of Agriculture (HDOA) has the resources available to enforce pesticide laws and to ensure that the public is protected.

We defer to HDOA regarding the replacement of appropriated funds with unspecified dollar amounts in the amended bill. We have confidence in the ability of the HDOA to effectively carry out its regulatory responsibilities and recognize that increased funding will strengthen the Department and help it address community concerns.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in support of this bill.

Respectfully submitted,

Bennette Misalucha
Executive Director
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Dear Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen, and Members of the Committee,

I am writing to urge your VERY strong support of HB 89. As you know, this bill increases the pesticide licensing fee, requires the State to hire an environmental toxicologist, and allocates funding for necessary monitoring as well as education materials as needed.

Thank you kindly for considering my testimony in strong support of the measure.

Sincerely,
Emma Ladendecker
Robert Ladendecker
Kapaa, Kauai, HI
Dear Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen, and Members of the Committee,

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Jack E. Bennett  
Environmental Attorney  
Hawaii State Bar  
Honolulu, HI
Dear Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen, and Members of the Committee,

Please protect our land and water.

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Blessed Be these lands!
Mahalo!
Myrica
Dear Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen, and Members of the Committee,

Please support HB 889. I'm not usually for increasing licensing fees, but if the pesticide licensing fee will allow the State to hire the necessary personnel for educational materials and compliance monitoring, I'll all for it.

Mahalo for reading my e-mail and supporting HB 889.

Malama Pono,
Virginia Dunas
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Mahalo nui loa

Laurel Brier

Anahola, HI
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Mahalo

Landon Peeren
From: karol@haraguchiricemill.org <Rodney And Karol Haraguchi>

Message:

Although we don't use Restricted Use Pesticides, many of us may become drawn into this controversy and the DOA needs the means to protect all farmers.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Wednesday, March 1, 2017

Conference Room 308 @ 11:00 AM

SUPPORT for HB 889, HD1

Relating to Pesticides

Representative, Sylvia Luke Chair

Representative, Ty Cullen, Vice Chair

The Honorable Members of the House Committee on Finance,

RE: HB 889, HD1 – Relating to Pesticides (SUPPORT)

Dear Chairperson Luke, Vice Cullen and Members of Finance;

I support HB 889, HD1 and want to ensure that HDOA has the resources available to oversee and enforce regulations to help ensure the safe use of products. The raising of the licensing fee is needed to help HDOA carry out its regulatory abilities and education projects across Hawaii.
Mahalo for this opportunity to provide testimony.

Rodney And Karol Haraguchi
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John Ah San
Submitted by: Ronald Weidenbach  
Organization: Hawaii Aquaculture & Aquaponics Association  
Testifier Position: Support  
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Comments: Important support for HDOA to enable timely registration and training on responsible use of pesticides

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Mahalo

Jessica Radovich
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Michael Girod
From: blake.rabe@monsanto.com <Blake Rabe>

Message:

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Patrick Rich
Dear Chair Luke, Vice Chair Cullen, and Members of the Committee,

I am writing to urge your strong support of HB 889. As you know, this bill increases the pesticide licensing fee, requires the State to hire an environmental toxicologist, and allocates funding (for compliance monitoring and educational materials among other things).

Thank you kindly for considering my testimony in strong support of the measure.
From: Ann Smith <vudgpsnbdbgzesd@ujoin.co>
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2017 10:41 PM
To: FINTestimony
Subject: Support HB 889, Relating to Pesticides

From: annsmith313@hotmail.com <Ann Smith>

Message:

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Kula

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GUY WEDEMEYER
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