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The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,  
President and Members  
of the Senate  
Thirtieth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,  
Speaker and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Thirtieth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

For your information and consideration, as required by Act 5, SLH 2019, I am reporting that a Data Science Specialist position has been established within the Hawaii State Energy Office (HSEO), an agency attached to the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism. This position is entirely federally funded. The specific information of that position is as follows:

Authority used to establish the position: EM No. 20-08, FY21 Budget Execution Policies and Instructions, Attachment A, No. 15.b.2.

Date the position was established: October 1, 2020

Projected date the position will be filled: December 1, 2020

Amount projected to be expended in FY 20-21: \$83,000 including fringe benefits

Source of funds used to pay for the position: Federal Funds repurposed from American Recovery & Reinvestment Act

Functions to be performed by this position: The position will work with other state, federal, and county agencies, the private sector, and community organizations to design, develop, and implement a data governance framework and secure data portals to store and share key energy data within the office and externally for data analytics.

If you have any questions, you may contact Donna Mau at (808) 799-2421.

Sincerely,

Scott J. Glenn

c: Governor's Policy Office  
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