



**TESTIMONY OF  
THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL  
TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, 2018**

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**ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE:**

S.B. NO.192, Proposed S.D. 1, RELATING TO THE STATE BUDGET.

**BEFORE THE:**

SENATE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

**DATE:** Wednesday, February 28, 2018      **TIME:** 10:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** State Capitol, Room 211

**TESTIFIER(S):** Russell A. Suzuki, Acting Attorney General, or  
Randall S. Nishiyama, Deputy Attorney General

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Chair Dela Cruz and Members of the Committee:

The Department of the Attorney General provides the following comment regarding S.B. No. 192, Proposed S.D. 1.

This bill amends the descriptions of capital improvement projects related to the Livestock Feed Mill and the Waste Stream Recycling Facility in the General Appropriations Act of 2015, as amended by the Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2016.

While the Proposed S.D. 1 adds a public purpose declaration to both the Livestock Feed Mill and the Waste Stream Recycling Facility, we believe that the language of the public declaration should be revised as follows, to be consistent with standard form:

"The Legislature finds and declares that the appropriation is in the public interest and for the public's health, safety, and general welfare of the State."

(New statutory material is underscored.)

We respectfully ask the Committee to consider this comment.