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In SUPPORT of
HB 1035, HD1, SD1

RELATING TO HOMELAND SECURITY.

Chair Rhoads, Vice Chair Gabbard, and Members of the Committee, the Hawai'i State Energy Office (HSEO) supports HB 1035, HD1, SD1, which establishes protections for critical infrastructure information that is received or maintained by the Office of Homeland Security (OHS) for use regarding the security of critical infrastructure.

HSEO collaborates with OHS on planning activities related to the protection and resilience of critical energy infrastructure that often requires sensitive information and data from critical infrastructure owners and operators. This measure would offer strong reassurance that proprietary information and data shared with OHS will have protection by Hawaii law. Further, it is also important that confidentiality will be maintained and extended as OHS works closely with agencies such as HSEO.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.