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Testimony of
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before the
SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND TOURISM

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State Capitol, Conference Room 229 and Videoconference

In Support of
GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE 605

Submitting for consideration and confirmation as the Strategic Broadband Coordinator, Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, Gubernatorial Nominee, CHUNG CHANG, for a term to expire 12-07-2026.

Chair DeCoite, Vice Chair Wakai, and members of the Committee, I am writing in support of the appointment of Mr. Chung Chang to serve as the Strategic Broadband Coordinator for the Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism.

Mr. Chang's career trajectory is marked by a series of progressively responsible roles, demonstrating his exceptional capabilities and versatility. From his tenure as an Aerospace Development Coordinator at the Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism (DBEDT) to his more recent position as the Strategic Broadband Coordinator within the same department, Mr. Chang has consistently displayed a deep understanding of complex issues, strategic thinking, and effective management skills.

Mr. Chang's dedication to public service is evident in his track record of spearheading initiatives to support economic development, emergency response coordination, and workforce upskilling. His leadership in coordinating COVID economic response programs underscores his commitment to addressing pressing societal needs and ensuring equitable access to resources. Accordingly, HSEO respectfully requests your consent in Mr. Chang's confirmation as Strategic Broadband Coordinator.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.