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TO:

Chief Sheldon Hao

Honolulu Fire Department

ATTN:

Deputy Chief Jason Samala

Honolulu Fire Department

FROM:

Councilmember Carol Fukunagal Chair

Committee on Public Infrastructure and Technology (PIT)

RE:

Clarification of HFD's 3-Month Fire Safety Report (D-0746) and Current

Status of Life Safety Evaluations filed with HFD (Jan. 31, 2022)

This is a follow-up to your Honolulu Fire Department's (HFD) Department Communication D-0746 — Three-Month report relating to Fire Safety, and your recent listing of the total number of residential condo high-rise properties subject to the Ordinance 19-4 requirements.

Please clarify whether your reports are cumulative or separate tallies for each reporting period:

- 1. What is the total aggregate number of Life Safety Evaluations filed with your department as of January 31, 2022, and the aggregate number of 'passing' scores achieved by residential condominium associations subject to the *Ordinance 19-4* compliance requirements?
- 2. What is the total aggregate number of residential condo high-rise properties that have not submitted a Life Safety Evaluation as of January 31, 2022?
- 3. What is the total number of residential condo units included within the inventory of 323 residential high-rise properties subject to the *Ordinance 19-4* requirements?

Our previous inventory of the total number of units covered by *Ordinance 18-14* and *Ordinance 19-4* was 21,420 units (March 2019 list provided by HFD). Our

tally for the total number of units covered by the fire sprinkler ordinances for 323 properties under your February 8, 2022 response now appears to exceed 38,000 units.

I would appreciate your response by Wednesday, February 16, 2022 to aid in our preparations for additional Permitted-Interaction Group and Public Information and Technology Committee meetings on *Bill 37, CD1* issues in February.

Please contact Legislative Aide Traci Toguchi at traci.toguchi@honolulu.gov or (808) 768-5074 if you have additional questions regarding the above information requests.