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The Honorable Tyler Dos Santos-Tam, Chair
and Members
Committee on Budget
Honolulu City Council
530 South King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear Chair Dos Santos-Tam and Councilmembers:

SUBJECT: Bill 3 (2025) - Relating to the Repeal of a Real Property Tax Rebate

The Department of Budget and Fiscal Services is not opposed to Bill 3 (2025), which proposes to repeal Ordinance 98-54 and ROH Chapter 35. This is a real property tax incentive program for businesses that create new jobs within the City and County of Honolulu, but do not have any record of any participants.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on this bill. Please contact me at (808) 768-3901 with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Andrew T. Kawano
Director Designate

APPROVED:

Michael D. Formby, Managing Director Designate
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