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Testimony:

Aloha Chair Tommy Waters and City Council Members,

I am submitting written testimony in full support of the reappointment of Edmund “Fred” Hyun to the Honolulu Liquor Commission.

Mr. Hyun has demonstrated the experience, acumen and institutional insight to be very effective in his role as a Commissioner. He has proven to be reliable, honorable and exceptionally trustworthy. With his dedicated work ethic, Fred approaches each task with an intent to drive a fair, positive, and impactful outcome. His reappointment will provide continued leadership and stability to the Honolulu Liquor Commission.

I strongly support Mr. Hyun’s reappointment and humbly request your consideration.

Regards,

Robert Cundiff

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The Honorable Tommy Waters
Chair and Presiding Officer
and Members Honolulu City Council
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Aloha Chair Waters and Councilmembers,

My name is Jeffrey Hong, I am the current Chair of the Honolulu Liquor Commission. I enthusiastically support the reappointment of Commissioner Hyun to the Honolulu Liquor Commission.

Commissioner Hyun has provided enormous insight and leadership. He has served on other Commissions as Chair and previously worked at the Liquor Commission. The commissioners rely on his experience to provide historical context to many of the issues we are facing. He is as our most experienced hand in guiding this Commission and has accepted appointment to our Permitted Interaction Group to work with the Administrator on developing a Strategic Plan for the agency.

Subject to your favorable consideration for a five-year appointment, you should not be surprised when Commissioner Hyun leads this Commission as Chair or Vice-Chair. He has the respect of all the serving Commissioners.

Mahalo,

Jeffrey Hong

Chair, Honolulu Liquor Commission