



**HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS**  
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**House Committee on Health  
Representative Della Au Belatti, Chair  
Representative Dee Morikawa, Vice Chair**

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**Testimony Supporting the Intent of House Bill 576, HD1, Relating to the Hawaii Health Systems Corporation  
Authorizes the HHSC to obtain a loan under the EB-5 program to fund a corporation project.**

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HHSC supports the intent of HB 576, HD1, that would specifically authorize Hawaii Health Systems Corporation (HHSC) to obtain a loan under the EB-5 program to fund a Corporation project. While HHSC appreciates the intent of this bill, we believe that HHSC already has the authority (under HRS323F) to enter into financing arrangements, such as the EB-5 program. As a result, we believe that this bill may not be necessary for HHSC to obtain an EB-5 program loan.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.