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GOVERNOR

January 29, 2007

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fourth State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Hanabusa:

I am requesting your immediate consideration and passage of Senate Bill 1431, which makes an emergency appropriation of \$24,900,000 in general funds in Fiscal Year 2006-2007 to cover emergency relief and recovery operations in the counties of Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, and the city of Honolulu as a result of the October 15, 2006, Kiholo Bay Earthquake disaster.

We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter. The Department of Defense will be available to answer any questions you or your staff may have.

Sincerely,



LINDA LINGLE

c: The Honorable Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair  
Senate Committee on Ways and Means

The Honorable Lorraine R. Inouye, Chair  
Senate Committee on Intergovernmental and Military Affairs