Loretta J. Fuddy, A.C.S.W., M.P.H. Director, Hawaii State Department of Health 1250 Punchbowl Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Director Fuddy,

Per HRS 91-6 and HAR 11-1-51, I hereby petition the Hawaii State Department of Health to adopt administrative rules that will enable the Department to fulfill its statutory authority under HRS 329-121-3.

I have an interest in this matter because I am a medical doctor licensed to practice medicine in the State of Hawaii and I have the right to request that additional medical conditions be added to Hawaii's Medical Marijuana Program per HRS 329-121-3.

The reason that such administrative rules need to be adopted is that without these rules the Department of Health is unable to fulfill its statutory obligation to approve new debilitating medical conditions at the request of a physician.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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