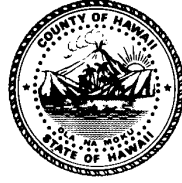


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The Hon. Nicole E. Lowen, Chair, and
Members of the Committee on Energy and Environmental Protection

Chair Lowen and Committee Members,

The Environmental Management Commission (EMC) of the County of Hawai'i on January 24, 2024, adopted a position in support of extended producer responsibility legislation in the 2024 session of the Legislature.

Pursuant to this position and HRS 92-2.5(h), EMC **supports** the intent of House Bill No. 1688 and encourages its further consideration.

Sincerely,

Georjean Adams, Chair
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