



*The Judiciary, State of Hawai'i*

**Testimony to the House Committee on Judiciary**

Representative Karl Rhoads, Chair

Representative Joy A. San Buenaventura, Vice Chair

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State Capitol, Conference Room 325

**WRITTEN TESTIMONY ONLY**

By

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**Bill No. and Title:** Senate Bill No. 2103, S.D. 1, Relating to Search Warrants.

**Purpose:** Allows courts to authorize a person or entity, other than an officer of justice, to carry out a search warrant. Allows courts to authorize an officer to obtain technical assistance if the search warrant granted pertains to an electronic device or storage media and the officer submits a sworn statement.

**Judiciary's Position:**

The Judiciary supports Senate Bill No. 2103, S.D. 1. The concerns raised by the Judiciary in its previous testimony have been addressed.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on Senate Bill No. 2103, S.D. 1.