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December 3, 2021

Mr. Eric Nakagawa, Director
Department of Environmental Management
County of Maui
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Mr. Nakagawa:

**SUBJECT: ESTABLISHING CHAPTER 3.17, MAUI COUNTY
CODE, RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF
ADMINISTRATIVE FINES (BFED-19)**

May I please request you provide the following:

1. A copy of the Department's Administrative rules.
2. The number of fine reductions over \$7,500 since 2015.
3. The criteria established by the Department to determine if a fine reduction is appropriate.
4. Information on whether the Department allows payment plans for settlement agreements.
5. A report of all fine reductions for Fiscal Year 2022, Quarter 1 (July 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021).

May I further request your written response no later than **December 17, 2021**. To ensure efficient processing, please transmit your response to bfed.committee@mauicounty.us and include the relevant Committee item number in your response's subject line.

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Should you have any questions, please contact me or the Committee staff (Lesley Milner at ext. 7886, or Yvette Bouthillier at ext. 7758).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Keani N.W. Rawlins-Fernandez". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

KEANI N.W. RAWLINS-FERNANDEZ, Chair
Budget, Finance, and Economic
Development Committee

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cc: Mayor Michael P. Victorino