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September 15, 2020

Ms. Michele Yoshimura, Budget Director Office of the Mayor County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Ms. Yoshimura:

## SUBJECT: LEGISLATION AND DISCUSSION ON THE EFFECT OF THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC, RULES, CARES ACT, AND RELATED ISSUES (EDB-85)

May I please request you respond to the following questions about delayed distribution of FY21 grant funds as related to the Coronavirus pandemic:

- 1. Which FY21 budget grants have been delayed because of anticipated shortfalls in Real Property Tax revenue?
- 2. What is the process for individuals or organizations to apply for FY 21 grant funds when there is not an online application form?
- 3. What is the plan for the FY21 grant funds that have not been released yet?
- 4. The Committee understands certain types of grants—such as for childcare or rental assistance—are being prioritized for funding. What are the other priorities? What is the process for determining the priorities?

May I also request your written response no later than **September 23, 2020**. To ensure efficient processing, please include the relevant Committee item number in the subject line of your response.

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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

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

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