HB 1342 – RELATING TO THE DEBT COLLECTION

Chairs McKelvey and Rhoads, Vice Chairs Kawakami and Har and members of the committees:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on HB 1342 which requires the Attorney General to collect on accounts delinquent for more than ninety days for executive departments, except the Department of Taxation and University of Hawai‘i, and retain an unspecified per cent of moneys recovered on delinquent accounts for deposit into a newly-established fund. This bill also allows the Department of Taxation, the University of Hawai‘i, and the Judiciary to contract with a collection agency to collect on delinquent accounts.

The University of Hawai‘i has no objection to HB 1342.