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Subject: KAS request to designate IAL on Kauai

Aloha Chair Scheuer! I write to you as the Chairman of the Hawaiian Homes Commission and ask for either a deferral of this item on the Land Use Commission's Agenda for tomorrow. I have just been made aware of this matter a few hours ago and it's outcome could impact the Hydroelectric project that we are planning with KIUC and ADC. In the alternative The Department of Hawaiian Homes would like to request a Contested Case. I am unsure of the procedure, can it be requested orally and followed up in writing. DHHL and KIUC has not been consulted with on this request and granting their motion may have negative consequences to our joint project in west Kauai. Given the last minute awareness I will try to sign up for oral testimony tomorrow morning. We oppose the designation until we can consult with KAA on the impacts that their request could have on our project. Mahalo for your consideration.

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