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We would like to add two additional comments to the statement as originally submitted.

First, there is no conservation designation of lands in the Honolulu development plans. The nearest equivalent to the conservation designation of the State in these plans is "preservation," and the word "conservation" should be deleted from the bill leaving the words "preservation" and "agriculture".

Second, some concern has been expressed with the large number of rezoning requests to which the bill would apply. Perhaps the number of actions covered would be reduced if the provisions of the bill applied directly to amendments of the development plans rather than to rezoning subsequent to such amendments.