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Att: City and County of Honolulu
Zoning Committee Chair Rod Tam
City Council Chair Barbara Marshall
Vice Chair Todd Apo
Council Members

Aloha Committee

RE: BILL 8-9

We are against Bills #8 and 9 because placing locations on advertising causes security issues.

The Council should take note that **all current advertising** of rental units worldwide, both short term and long term on the Internet do not include the exact address of the dwelling. The area and even the development maybe listed but the exact address is not given freely on the Internet. The reason for this is security, both for the actual premises and for the individual doing the advertising.

It is important, that we protect not only the valuables located in the dwelling but also current tenants who are using the facility. For the council to require that advertising must contain the physical address of the unit may leave the city open to liability if something was to happen to the unit or it's occupants.

The City could just as easily require that the advertising include the General Excise Number of the owner/operator of the unit. This would ensure that the operator is correctly registered and allow the city to track units if need be.

Mahalo for your time and efforts.



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cc: **Governor Linda Lingle**

Major Mufi Hannemann