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**PROJECT STATEMENT**

**for**

**Development of Diversified Agricultural Units  
in the Molokai Project Area, Hawaii**

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