

# Defense appropriations

Senator Daniel K. Inouye Papers

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April 12, 1960

Honorable Wayne L. Collins, Director  
Department of Agriculture and Conservation  
State of Hawaii  
Honolulu 11, Hawaii

Dear Mr. Collins:

Thank you for your letter of April 6, 1960, informing me of your interest in the Bill entitled "Interior Department and Related Agencies, Appropriation Bill, 1961".

I personally would like to see Hawaii participating in the Cooperative Forest Management program. You may be assured that I will do all I can towards making this participating for Hawaii a reality. As soon as I am informed of the appointment of the Conference Committee regarding the aforesaid Bill, I will be certain to inform them of Hawaii's interest.

Thank you very much for calling this matter to my attention. With sincere wishes, I am

Yours truly,

DANIEL K. INOUE, M.C.

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WILLIAM F. QUINN  
Governor

ENTOMOLOGY AND MARKETING  
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ANIMAL INDUSTRY  
FISH AND GAME

STATE OF HAWAII  
**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSERVATION**

HONOLULU 14, HAWAII

April 6, 1960

Representative Daniel K. Inouye  
Congress of the United States  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Representative Inouye:

For a number of years the timber potential in Hawaii has been under study and consideration. The Honolulu Chamber of Commerce, the Hilo Chamber of Commerce and other similar organizations have been active in promoting the vast timber potential with our Department and with our State legislature. I need not describe to you the tremendous benefits that can accrue to our local economy if our foothill and mountain lands suitable for the production of saw timber are developed to the fullest extent for that purpose.

In this activity the federal government through the Clarke-McNary Act extends financial aid to individual states in fire prevention and in the production of trees for planting on State and private lands. Cooperative agreements are now in effect with the U. S. Forest Service through which Hawaii receives assistance in protecting both State-owned and privately-owned lands from fire and in providing nursery stock for planting on both State and privately-owned lands. In addition, assistance can be obtained from the federal government for cooperative forest management work to be performed upon privately-owned lands providing requested increases are included in current appropriations for this work.

We wish to participate in the Cooperative Forest Management Program but unless the appropriations by Congress are increased to provide the financial aid, our State's chances of obtaining the assistance are poor because all of the available money is apportioned out to the States already in the program.

In the next year we plan to expand our forestry activities very substantially. We need to strengthen our work in fire prevention to reduce the number of acres of brush and forest land that are burned over annually.

April 6, 1960

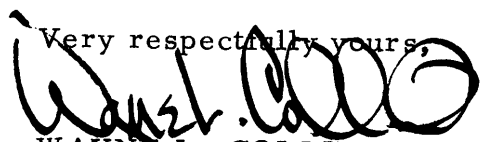
Increased interest in tree planting work will necessitate larger expenditures for nursery production of trees and points up the necessity for increases in the federal appropriation if Hawaii is to receive additional aid for these projects. Likewise, there is much interest on the part of land owners to establish tree farms. A Cooperative Forest Management program is the key to initiating good forestry practices on private lands.

On February 16, the House accepted the Appropriation Sub-Committee's report which recommended increases in the current appropriation budget which, if approved, will benefit our program and open the way for new work to be accomplished in Cooperative Forest Management.

On March 25, the Full Senate Appropriation Committee reported the bill on "Interior Department and Related Agencies, Appropriation Bill, 1961", this being Senate Report No. 1203 and Senate Calendar No. 1240, dated March 25, 1960. The Bill as approved by the full Committee includes the Sub-Committee recommended increase for State and Private Forestry work. I assume that upon the passage of the Bill by the Senate, a Conference Committee will be appointed and at that time it will be important to advise members of the Conference Committee as to Hawaii's interest in obtaining increases in the above funds since Hawaii has not yet participated in the Cooperative Forest Management phase of federal assistance. Unless the increases in appropriations are obtained as described above, it is probable we will be denied this federal assistance until increased funds are made available by Congress.

Your help and support can do much to attain the necessary increase in federal funds that we urgently need to push our forestry program here. My suggestion is that you personally urge the members of the House Appropriation Sub-Committee to support the increases in "State and Private Forestry Cooperation."

Very respectfully yours,



WAYNE L. COLLINS, Director  
Department of Agriculture  
and Conservation

# METAL TRADES DEPARTMENT

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR AND CONGRESS OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS  
GENERAL OFFICES: AFL-CIO BLDG., 815 16th STREET, N. W., WASHINGTON 6, D. C.



TELEPHONE DISTRICT 7-7255



VIA WESTERN UNION MESSENGER

March 8, 1960

*File: "AFL-CIO"*

Mr. Alfred Lauretta  
Room 425  
Old House Office Building  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Lauretta:

I am enclosing a copy of the Proposed Rider  
to the 1961 Department of Defense Appropriation Bill,  
about which you called this morning and which I read  
to you.

This proposed rider has the full support of the  
Metal Trades Department and its affiliated International  
Unions.

Very truly yours,  
*Nancy K. Rush*  
Secretary to  
J. A. Brownlow  
President

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P. S. I am also enclosing testimony by Mr. Brownlow  
which deals with this same subject, and call your  
attention to pages 13 and 14 containing interpolations  
made during the course of the testimony.

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March 23, 1960

Mr. Yutoka Yamada  
839-3 Kuikalii Street  
Honolulu 14, Hawaii

Dear Mr. Yamada:

I am in receipt of your letter of March 24, 1960, relative to the AFL-CIO Metal Trades proposed rider to the 1961 Department of Defense Appropriation Bill.

Please be informed that I am in accord with the intent of the rider to the Appropriation Bill and will support the passage of both measures.

I am deeply appreciative of your interest in this matter and your willingness to so inform me.

With all best wishes and Aloha, I am

Sincerely,

DANIEL K. INOUE, M.C.

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839-3 Kukulani St.

Honolulu 14, Hawaii

March 24, 1960

The Honorable Daniel K. Inouye  
House of Representatives  
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Sir:

As a federal civil service employee, I ask  
your support in enacting the A.F.L.-C.I.O.  
metal trades proposed rider to the 1961  
Dept. of Defense appropriation Bill. This  
rider would stem much of the political  
pay off of defense installation to private  
vested interest.

Sincerely,  
Yutaka Yamada

March 22, 1960

Mr. Harold K. Shimabuku  
98-437 Ponohana Loop  
Waimalu, Aiea, Hawaii

Dear Mr. Shimabuku:

I am in receipt of your card relative to the AFL-CIO Metal Trades proposed rider to the 1961 Department of Defense Appropriation Bill and also the Forand Bill- H. R. 4700.

Please be informed that I am in accord with the intent of the rider to the Appropriation Bill and also the Forand Bill, and will support the passage of both measures.

I am deeply appreciative of your interest in these matters and your willingness to so inform me.

With all best wishes and aloha, I am

Sincerely,

DANIEL K. INOUE, M. C.

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Dear Sir,

Please vote for HR 4700 (Forand Bill) and proposed rider to Dept Defense 1961 Appropriation Bill.

Harold S. Stumacher  
98437 Porohana Loop  
Waimea, Aiea



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