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Island Institute supports the intent behind LD 2216 and looks forward to continuing to work with the Committee and others to refine the language. Island Institute was involved in the first Blue Economy Task Force and co-chaired the second task force because we significant untapped economic opportunity in various parts of the blue economy that could be better accessed with dedicated and focused attention from an appropriate State entity like MTI. We believe other partners are providing additional context and background as well as some suggested language revisions that more closely align the legislation for this Center with the legislation establishing a similar bio-life sciences center at MTI and we support the moving in those directions.