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Hey Laura,

I apologize for the delay in answering this question. Below is the response I received from Abigail O'Connor who is an expert in this field.

“The word “trust” is included in the definition of a person, which is used in the definition of a designated beneficiary.”

This definition can be seen on Page 5 line 22 of the bill 34-LS0617\A – (6) “person” includes a corporation, company, partnership, firm, association, organization, **trust**, **business trust**, or society as well as a natural person;”

With that being said, since a person can be a trust it would be redundant to use the word trust again in this bill.

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Jenna –

Senator Shower is asking whether adding the word “trust” would be a good clarification to the bill or not. Would you please confer with Senator Kawasaki and your subject matter experts and let me know?

Best,

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