

## HAWAI'I STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

State of Hawai'i · Bishop Square, 1001 Bishop Street, ASB Tower 970 · Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

# NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE HAWAI'I STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

<u>Date</u>: July 20, 2022

Time: 9:00 a.m.

<u>Location</u>: <u>Zoom Videoconference or Phone</u>:

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#### Public Meeting Location:

Hawai'i State Ethics Commission Conference Room 1001 Bishop Street American Savings Bank Tower, Suite 960 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

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If attending the meeting in person, it is encouraged, but not required, that you wear a mask.

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#### <u>A G E N D A</u>

#### CALL TO ORDER

- I. Welcome to Commissioner Robert Hong
  - Attachment 1: News Release
- II. <u>Election of Officers for 2022</u>
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- III. Consideration and Approval of the Minutes of the June 16, 2022 Meeting
- IV. Consideration of Reasonable Time Limits on Oral Testimony
- V. Executive Director's Report
  - 1. Education / Training Report
    - Attachment 1: 2022 Training Attendance / Schedule
    - Attachment 2: Online Training Completions by Department
  - 2. Guidance and Assignment Statistics June 2022
    - Attachment 3: 2022 Guidance and Assignment Statistics / Website Traffic
  - 3. Financial Report for FY 2021-2022
    - Attachment 4: Q4 Financial Report for FY 2021-2022
  - 4. Update regarding 2022 Financial Disclosure Filings
  - 5. Miscellaneous Office Projects / Updates
- VI. 2022 Legislative Session
  - 1. Status of Current Bills:
    - a. Budget Act 001 (HB 2500 HD1) & Act 276 (SB 2794 SD1 HD1 CD1)
    - b. Mandatory ethics training **Act 165** (<u>HB 1475 HD1 SD1 CD1</u>)
  - 2. Status of the Commission to Improve Standards of Conduct (HR 9)

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VII. <u>Akana v. Hawaii State Ethics Commission and Daniel Gluck, Civil No.</u> 18-1-1019-06 (JHA); Akana v. Hawaii State Ethics Commission, Civil No. 19-1-0379-03 (JHA); State of Hawaii, Ethics Commission v. Rowena Akana, Civil No. 20-1-0453 (BIA)

Discussion of case status.

The Hawai'i State Ethics Commission may convene an executive session pursuant to Hawai'i Revised Statutes section 92-5(a)(4) to consult with the Commission's attorneys and/or the Department of the Attorney General on questions and issues pertaining to the Commission's powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities.

VIII. Adjournment

#### **Public Testimony**

Anyone wishing to testify may do so during the meeting or may submit written testimony in advance of the meeting by email (<a href="ethics@hawaiiethics.org">ethics@hawaiiethics.org</a>), facsimile (fax) (808-587-0470), or U.S. postal mail (State Ethics Commission, 1001 Bishop Street, American Savngs Bank Tower, Suite 970, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813). Public testimony must be related to an item that is on the agenda and the testifier must identify the agenda item to be addressed by the testimony. Pursuant to Hawai'i Revised Statutes section 92-3 and Hawai'i Administrative Rules section 21-1-6(c), the Commission may place reasonable time limits for oral testimony to ensure the reasonable and orderly administration of oral testimony during the meeting.

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