

BEFORE THE HAWAI'I STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

STATE OF HAWAI'I

In the Matter of

HAWAI'I STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

Mandatory Lobbyist Training Law

ORDER REGARDING
MANDATORY LOBBYIST TRAINING LAW

Effective April 19, 2023, Act 20 (House Bill 138) establishes a mandatory training requirement for all lobbyists who are required to register under chapter 97, Hawai'i Revised Statutes ("HRS").¹

To implement the statutory requirements under Act 20 in a timely and orderly manner, the Commission finds good cause to allow lobbyists to register for the next scheduled lobbyist training course, and then file a new lobbyist registration for the 2023-2024 legislative biennium. Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

All lobbyists who are required to register under HRS chapter 97 and who are required to file a new lobbyist registration during the 2023-2024 lobbying year, shall register for a lobbyist training course offered by the Commission, file a new lobbyist registration, and then take the lobbyist training course when available.

This Order will remain in place until December 31, 2023, unless otherwise repealed or extended.

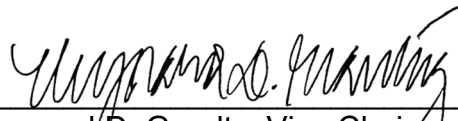
¹ The text of Act 20 can be found at https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=138&year=2023

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, May 17, 2023.

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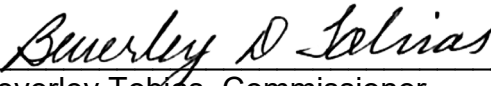
Wesley F. Fong, Chair



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Robert Hong, Commissioner