

APPLICATION FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Please answer all questions.
2. Please print the completed application, sign and notarize.
3. Please complete and sign Attachment No. 1 before a Notary Public.
4. Please complete and sign Attachment No. 2.
5. The Commission must receive your completed application, including all attachments, at its office, before or on the deadline. **NO EXTENSIONS** will be granted.
6. **MAIL** or **DELIVER** Application to:

HAWAII FEDERAL JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION
C/O LAWRENCE S. OKINAGA, CHAIR
SUITE 2100 ASB TOWER
1001 BISHOP STREET
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

NOTE: Your application will be deemed incomplete if you fail to answer all questions and provide the required attachments; incomplete applications will not be considered.

NOTE: Applications are not accepted online; all applications must be printed and delivered or mailed to the address above.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT THE APPLICATION IN ADOBE ACROBAT READER:

The following pages are the Application for Judicial Office in a fillable PDF format. The form can be filled out and printed through the Adobe Acrobat Reader program. The Adobe Acrobat Reader program does not allow you to save your completed or partially completed .PDF form to a disk on your computer. The .PDF file is sent to your computer as a temporary fillable .PDF form. Information entered will be deleted when you exit your browser.

If you need more space, please attach a separate page and copy the question number and the question itself at the top of the page immediately preceding your answer.

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

HAWAII FEDERAL JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION

APPLICATION FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE

A. INTRODUCTORY INFORMATION

I. FULL NAME:

1. PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE THE FOLLOWING WITH YOUR INITIALS AFTER YOU HAVE PRINTED YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION:

(a) YOU MUST EXECUTE AND ATTACH ATTACHMENTS 1 AND 2 TO THIS APPLICATION. ACKNOWLEDGED AND ATTACHED: _____

(b) YOU UNDERSTAND THAT THE COMMISSION'S SELECTION OF AN APPLICANT FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE DOES NOT CREATE ANY INFERENCE, PRESUMPTION, ENTITLEMENT, OR EXPECTANCY THAT THE APPLICANT HAS A PROPERTY OR LIBERTY INTEREST IN JUDICIAL OFFICE PROTECTED BY DUE PROCESS:

2. RESIDENCE STREET ADDRESS:

3. RESIDENCE CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:

4. RESIDENCE TELEPHONE NO.:

5. CELLULAR TELEPHONE NO.:

6. EMAIL ADDRESS:

7. PRESENT OCCUPATION AND JOB TITLE:

8. OFFICE ADDRESS:

9. OFFICE CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE:

10. OFFICE TELEPHONE NO.:

11. LIST EACH RESIDENTIAL AND OFFICE ADDRESS THAT YOU HAVE USED DURING THE TEN-YEAR PERIOD PRECEDING THIS APPLICATION FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE:
12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:
13. DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER:
14. DATE OF BIRTH:
15. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED AN APPLICATION FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE TO THE STATE OF HAWAII JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION?
- YES NO
16. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE STATE THE DATE OF THE APPLICATION(S) AND THE JUDICIAL OFFICE(S) FOR WHICH THE APPLICATION(S) WAS/WERE SUBMITTED:

17. PLEASE ENCLOSE A RECENT PHOTOGRAPH (PASSPORT SIZE) OF YOU WITH THE COMPLETED APPLICATION.

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18. ARE YOU A RESIDENT OF THE STATE OF HAWAII?

YES NO

19. ARE YOU A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES?

YES NO

20. ARE YOU LICENSED BY THE SUPREME COURT OF HAWAII TO PRACTICE LAW?

YES NO

21. WHEN WERE YOU LICENSED TO PRACTICE LAW BY THE SUPREME COURT OF HAWAII?

22. HOW LONG HAVE YOU PRACTICED LAW IN HAWAII? IF YOU HAVE NOT PRACTICED LAW IN HAWAII CONTINUOUSLY SINCE FIRST OBTAINING YOUR LICENSE, INDICATE THE PERIOD(S) IN WHICH YOU HAVE NOT PRACTICED LAW, AND WHY:

B. HAWAII EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

1. NAME, ADDRESS, DATES OF ATTENDANCE, AND DEGREES RECEIVED FROM EACH COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY ATTENDED:

Name	Address	Dates	Degree
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

2. SIGNIFICANT ACADEMIC AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, HONORS, ACHIEVEMENTS, OR AWARDS RECEIVED BY YOU FROM EACH COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY THAT YOU ATTENDED:

3. NAME, ADDRESS, DATES OF ATTENDANCE, AND DEGREES RECEIVED FROM EACH LAW SCHOOL THAT YOU ATTENDED:

Name	Address	Dates	Degree
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

4. SIGNIFICANT ACADEMIC AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, HONORS, ACHIEVEMENTS, OR AWARDS RECEIVED BY YOU FROM EACH LAW SCHOOL THAT YOU ATTENDED:

C. PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

1. LIST EACH COURT WHICH HAS ADMITTED YOU TO PRACTICE, EACH DATE OF ADMISSION, AND THE PERIOD OF EACH ADMISSION:

2. LIST EACH OCCUPATION THAT YOU HAVE HELD SINCE GRADUATION FROM LAW SCHOOL AND THE PERIOD IN WHICH YOU ENGAGED IN EACH OCCUPATION:

3. LIST EACH OF YOUR PRESENT AND FORMER EMPLOYERS, PARTNERS, AND SIGNIFICANT ASSOCIATES IN THE PRACTICE OF LAW:

4. LIST EACH ACTIVITY THAT YOU HAVE ENGAGED IN SINCE GRADUATION FROM LAW SCHOOL THAT YOU BELIEVE IS SIGNIFICANT OR RELEVANT TO THIS APPLICATION FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE AND THE DATE OF EACH ACTIVITY:

5. (FOR NON-JUDGES) LIST OR DESCRIBE THE TYPICAL AREAS OF YOUR PRACTICE OF LAW DURING THE LAST FIVE-YEAR PERIOD OF YOUR LAW PRACTICE:

6. (FOR NON-JUDGES) DESCRIBE CLIENTS WHOM YOU REPRESENTED DURING THE LAST FIVE-YEAR PERIOD OF YOUR LAW PRACTICE:

7. WITH RESPECT TO YOUR LEGAL WORK (OR JUDICIAL WORK, AS APPLICABLE) DURING THE LAST FIVE YEARS, PLEASE DESCRIBE THREE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT, CHALLENGING, COMPLEX OR NOVEL LEGAL ISSUES WITH WHICH YOU HAVE DEALT (AND DESCRIBE YOUR ROLE IN THE PROCESS):

8. IF YOU ARE NOT A JUDGE, WHAT PERCENTAGE OF YOUR TIME DURING THE LAST FIVE-YEAR PERIOD OF YOUR LAW PRACTICE WAS RELATED TO:

CIVIL TRIAL LITIGATION? _____

CIVIL APPELLATE LITIGATION? _____

CRIMINAL TRIAL LITIGATION? _____

CRIMINAL APPELLATE LITIGATION? _____

FAMILY COURT (TRIAL OR APPELLATE) LITIGATION? _____

ADMINISTRATIVE OR REGULATORY AGENCY MATTERS? _____

CORPORATE OR TRANSACTIONAL WORK? _____

NEUTRAL (MEDIATOR, ARBITRATOR, EXPERT) WORK? _____

OTHER? _____

TOTAL (100%) _____

9. IF YOU ARE PRESENTLY A JUDGE, WHAT PERCENTAGE OF YOUR TIME DURING THE LAST FIVE-YEAR PERIOD WAS DEVOTED TO:

CIVIL TRIAL LITIGATION? _____

CIVIL APPELLATE LITIGATION? _____

CRIMINAL TRIAL LITIGATION? _____

CRIMINAL APPELLATE LITIGATION? _____

FAMILY COURT (TRIAL OR APPELLATE) LITIGATION? _____

ADMINISTRATIVE OR REGULATORY AGENCY MATTERS? _____

TOTAL (100%) _____

10. (FOR NON-JUDGES) STATE THE NUMBER OF CIVIL JURY TRIAL CASES THAT YOU HAVE ACTUALLY TAKEN TO TRIAL AS LEAD COUNSEL; AND AS SECONDARY COUNSEL. [OF THOSE, INDICATE HOW MANY HAVE BEEN TRIED TO VERDICT AND GENERALLY DESCRIBE THOSE CASES THAT YOU HAVE TRIED TO VERDICT]:

11. (FOR NON-JUDGES) STATE THE NUMBER OF CIVIL NON-JURY TRIAL CASES THAT YOU HAVE ACTUALLY TAKEN TO TRIAL AS LEAD COUNSEL; AND AS SECONDARY COUNSEL. [OF THOSE, INDICATE HOW MANY HAVE BEEN TRIED TO DECISION AND GENERALLY DESCRIBE THOSE CASES THAT YOU HAVE TRIED TO DECISION]:

12. (FOR NON-JUDGES) STATE THE NUMBER OF CRIMINAL JURY TRIAL CASES THAT YOU HAVE ACTUALLY TAKEN TO TRIAL AS LEAD COUNSEL; AND AS SECONDARY COUNSEL. [OF THOSE, INDICATE HOW MANY HAVE BEEN TRIED TO VERDICT AND GENERALLY DESCRIBE THOSE CASES THAT YOU HAVE TRIED TO VERDICT]:

13. (FOR NON-JUDGES) STATE THE NUMBER OF CRIMINAL NON-JURY TRIAL CASES THAT YOU HAVE ACTUALLY TAKEN TO TRIAL AS LEAD COUNSEL; AND AS SECONDARY COUNSEL. [OF THOSE, INDICATE HOW MANY HAVE BEEN TRIED TO DECISION AND GENERALLY DESCRIBE THOSE CASES THAT YOU HAVE TRIED TO DECISION]:

14. (FOR NON-JUDGES) STATE THE CASES IN WHICH YOU HAVE PERFORMED A SIGNIFICANT ROLE AT THE APPELLATE LEVEL AND DESCRIBE YOUR ROLE IN EACH. IF YOU HAVE PERFORMED A SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN NUMEROUS APPELLATE CASES, YOU MAY LIMIT YOUR ANSWER TO THE FIVE MOST SIGNIFICANT CASES:

15. (FOR NON-JUDGES) LIST THE SIGNIFICANT ARBITRATION, REGULATORY AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS IN WHICH YOU HAVE OCCUPIED AN IMPORTANT ROLE AS LEAD COUNSEL OR ARBITRATOR/HEARINGS OFFICER AND DESCRIBE THE LEGAL ISSUES PRESENTED IN THE PROCEEDINGS AND THE RESOLUTION OF THE LEGAL ISSUES. IF YOU HAVE PERFORMED AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN NUMEROUS PROCEEDINGS, YOU MAY LIMIT YOUR ANSWER TO THE FIVE MOST SIGNIFICANT PROCEEDINGS:

16. LIST PUBLICATIONS FOR WHICH YOU HAVE OCCUPIED A SIGNIFICANT ROLE, DESCRIBE YOUR ROLE, AND ATTACH A COPY OF EACH PUBLICATION THAT YOU BELIEVE MAY STRENGTHEN YOUR APPLICATION FOR THE JUDICIAL OFFICE COVERED BY THIS APPLICATION. IF YOU HAVE PERFORMED A SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN NUMEROUS PUBLICATIONS, YOU MAY LIMIT YOUR ANSWER TO THE FIVE MOST SIGNIFICANT PUBLICATIONS:

D. PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

1. LIST EACH ACADEMIC, POLITICAL, APPOINTIVE, AND PUBLIC OFFICE THAT YOU HAVE HELD SINCE GRADUATION FROM LAW SCHOOL AND THE DATES OF EACH POSITION:

2. LIST EACH SIGNIFICANT *PRO BONO PUBLICO* ACTIVITY THAT YOU HAVE ENGAGED IN SINCE LAW SCHOOL AND THE DATES OF EACH ACTIVITY:

3. INDICATE HOW MANY HOURS YOU HAVE REPORTED TO THE SUPREME COURT AS *PRO BONO PUBLICO* ACTIVITY IN THE PAST THREE YEARS, AND DESCRIBE IN GENERAL WHAT ACTIVITY OR ACTIVITIES YOU ENGAGED IN WITH RESPECT TO THOSE HOURS:

4. PLEASE IDENTIFY ANY AND ALL PROCEEDINGS OR TRANSACTIONS IN WHICH YOU PROVIDED PRO BONO REPRESENTATION FOR A PARTY OR WITNESS WHO WAS NOT A RELATIVE, FRIEND, OR PERSON TO WHOM YOU OWED ANYTHING *QUID PRO QUO*.

5. LIST EACH SIGNIFICANT CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSE OR PROFESSIONAL IMPROVEMENT SEMINAR OR ACTIVITY THAT YOU HAVE COMPLETED WITHIN THE LAST FIVE YEARS:

6. LIST SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND THE APPROXIMATE DATES OF EACH ACTIVITY:

7. LIST ACTIVITIES IN CIVIC OR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS AND THE APPROXIMATE DATES OF EACH ACTIVITY:

4. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

5. HAS YOUR BEHAVIOR OR CONDUCT EVER BEEN CRITICIZED OR BEEN A SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION IN A WRITTEN DECISION BY ANY COURT?

YES NO

6. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COPY OF THAT DECISION AND A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

7. IS A CASE PENDING IN ANY COURT, GOVERNMENT AGENCY, COMMISSION, OR DISCIPLINARY BODY CONCERNING YOUR BEHAVIOR OR CONDUCT?

YES NO

8. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE STATE THE NAME OF THE CASE, THE CASE NUMBER AND A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

9. HAS A COURT, JUDGE OR JUSTICE, HEARINGS OFFICER, OR OTHER TRIBUNAL EVER RECOMMENDED A REFERRAL TO A DISCIPLINARY BODY OR ENTITY FOR ATTORNEYS?

YES NO

10. IF THE ANSWER TO ANY PART OF THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

11. HAS A COURT, JUDGE OR JUSTICE, HEARINGS OFFICER, OR OTHER TRIBUNAL MADE ANY TYPE OF FINDING THAT YOU ENGAGED IN ANY TYPE OF MISCONDUCT BEFORE THE COURT, JUDGE OR JUSTICE, HEARINGS OFFICER, OR OTHER TRIBUNAL?

YES NO

12. IF THE ANSWER TO ANY PART OF THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

13. HAS A COURT, JUDGE OR JUSTICE, HEARINGS OFFICER, OR OTHER TRIBUNAL ORDERED OR ISSUED ANY TYPE OF SANCTION AGAINST YOU?

YES NO

14. IF THE ANSWER TO ANY PART OF THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

15. IS THERE ANYTHING IN YOUR BACKGROUND THAT, IF MADE KNOWN TO THE PRESIDENT, HAWAII'S U.S. SENATORS, THE U.S. SENATE, OR AND THIS COMMISSION, COULD BE AN EMBARRASSMENT TO YOU OR THEM OR COULD OTHERWISE ADVERSELY AFFECT YOUR NOMINATION TO THE COURT?

YES NO

16. IF THE ANSWER THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

F. CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT

1. HAVE YOU EVER HELD AN OFFICE TO WHICH THE FEDERAL OR STATE CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT APPLIED? IF YOUR ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE ANSWER QUESTION 2. IF THE ANSWER IS NO, PLEASE GO TO QUESTION 5.

YES NO

2. PLEASE IDENTIFY THE OFFICE AND THE PERIOD DURING WHICH YOU HELD THE OFFICE:

3. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED THE CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT, OR BEEN ADMONISHED FOR FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THE PRINCIPLES OF PROFESSIONALISM FOR JUDGES?

YES NO

4. IF YOUR ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE REPORT ON THE MATTER:

5. CANON 1 OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES STATES THAT A JUDGE SHOULD UPHOLD THE INTEGRITY AND INDEPENDENCE OF THE JUDICIARY. IF YOU ARE APPOINTED TO JUDICIAL OFFICE, IS THERE ANY REASON WHY YOU COULD NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CANON 1 AND ITS COMMENTARY?

YES NO

6. IF YOUR ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

7. CANON 2 OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES STATES THAT A JUDGE SHOULD AVOID IMPROPRIETY AND THE APPEARANCE OF IMPROPRIETY IN ALL ACTIVITIES. IF YOU ARE APPOINTED TO JUDICIAL OFFICE, IS THERE ANY REASON WHY YOU COULD NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CANON 2 AND ITS COMMENTARY?

YES NO

8. IF YOUR ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

9. DO YOU HOLD A MEMBERSHIP IN ANY ORGANIZATION THAT PRACTICES INVIDIOUS DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF SEX, RACE, RELIGION, OR NATIONAL ORIGIN? (SEE CANON 2C OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES)

YES NO

10. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE IDENTIFY THE ORGANIZATION(S):

11. CANON 3 OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES STATES THAT A JUDGE SHOULD PERFORM THE DUTIES OF JUDICIAL OFFICE FAIRLY, IMPARTIALLY, AND DILIGENTLY. IS THERE ANY REASON WHY YOU COULD NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CANON 3 AND ITS COMMENTARY IF YOU ARE APPOINTED TO JUDICIAL OFFICE?

YES NO

12. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

13. CANON 4 OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES PROVIDES THAT A JUDGE SHOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IN EXTRA-JUDICIAL ACTIVITIES THAT DETRACT FROM THE DIGNITY OF THE JUDGE'S OFFICE, INTERFERE WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THE JUDGE'S OFFICIAL DUTIES, REFLECT ADVERSELY ON THE JUDGE'S IMPARTIALITY, LEAD TO FREQUENT DISQUALIFICATION, OR VIOLATE OTHER LIMITATIONS SET UNDER CANON 4. IS THERE ANY REASON WHY YOU COULD NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CANON 4 AND ITS COMMENTARY IF YOU ARE APPOINTED TO JUDICIAL OFFICE?

YES NO

14. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

15. DO YOU SERVE AS AN OFFICER, DIRECTOR, MANAGER, ADVISOR, OR EMPLOYEE OF ANY BUSINESS?

YES NO

16. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, AND YOU ARE AN ATTORNEY APPLYING FOR JUDICIAL OFFICE, PLEASE STATE WHETHER YOU WOULD BE ABLE TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CANON 4C OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES. IF YOU ARE OR HAVE BEEN A JUDICIAL OFFICER, PLEASE STATE WHETHER YOU HAVE AT ALL TIMES BEEN IN COMPLIANCE WITH CANON 4C OF THE APPLICABLE CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT.

17. CANON 5 OF THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES STATES THAT A JUDGE SHOULD REFRAIN FROM POLITICAL ACTIVITY. IS THERE ANY REASON WHY YOU COULD NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF CANON 5 AND ITS COMMENTARY IF YOU ARE APPOINTED TO JUDICIAL OFFICE?

YES NO

18. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

19. DO YOU HAVE ANY INTERESTS, ACTIVITIES, OR RELATIONSHIPS WHICH WOULD PREVENT YOU FROM DISCHARGING YOUR DUTIES AS A JUDICIAL OFFICER IN A MANNER CONSISTENT WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR UNITED STATES JUDGES, AND THEREFORE REQUIRE YOU TO RECUSE YOURSELF?

YES NO

20. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN IN DETAIL THE LIMITATION:

G. CRIMINAL RECORD

1. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A MISDEMEANOR OR FELONY; OR HAVE YOU MOVED FOR ACCEPTANCE OF A DEFERRED ACCEPTANCE OF NO-CONTEST OR GUILTY PLEA AFTER BEING CHARGED WITH COMMISSION OF A MISDEMEANOR OR FELONY?
- YES NO
2. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE STATE THE NATURE, DATE, AND VENUE OF THE CONVICTION; THE CRIMINAL NUMBER OR CASE NUMBER OF THE CONVICTION; THE COURT IN WHICH THE CHARGE WAS FILED; THE NAMES OF THE PROSECUTORS AND DEFENSE COUNSEL INVOLVED; THE NAMES OF PRESIDING MAGISTRATES AND JUDGES; AND THE RESOLUTION OF THE MATTER:

3. HAVE YOU BEEN CONVICTED OF ANY VIOLATION OF LAW, RULE, OR REGULATION OF:
- (a) THE UNITED STATES;
 - (b) ANY OTHER STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY;
 - (c) ANY FOREIGN COUNTRY; OR
 - (d) HAVE YOU MOVED FOR DEFERRED ACCEPTANCE OF A NO-CONTEST OR GUILTY PLEA AFTER BEING CHARGED FOR SUCH A VIOLATION?

THIS QUESTION DOES NOT APPLY TO MINOR TRAFFIC CONVICTIONS FOR WHICH A FINE OF U.S. \$200.00 OR LESS WAS IMPOSED.

YES NO

4. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION OF THE CONVICTION AND THE RESOLUTION OF THE MATTER:

H. LITIGATION

1. HAVE YOU BEEN A PARTY TO A LAWSUIT EITHER AS A PLAINTIFF OR A DEFENDANT?
- YES NO

2. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE OF THE LITIGATION; THE DATES, CASE NUMBERS, AND VENUES OF THE LITIGATION; YOUR ROLE IN THE LITIGATION; THE NAMES OF PARTIES, COUNSEL, AND PRESIDING JUDGES IN THE LITIGATION; AND THE FINAL RESOLUTION:

3. HAVE YOU OR ANY ENTITY IN WHICH YOU HAVE A CONTROLLING INTEREST BEEN THE SUBJECT OF A FEDERAL OR STATE TAX COLLECTION, ENFORCEMENT, OR LIEN ACTION?

YES NO

4. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

5. HAVE YOU BEEN INVOLVED IN A BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDING AS A PARTY OR HAS A PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY BEEN FILED BY A CORPORATION IN WHICH YOU WERE AN OFFICER OR DIRECTOR OR THE STOCKHOLDER OF MORE THAN 25% OF THE ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING SHARES OF STOCK?

YES NO

6. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION OF THE PROCEEDING INCLUDING THE CASE NUMBER; THE DATE OF FILING; THE COURT; COUNSEL; AND THE PRESIDING MAGISTRATE, REFEREE, COMMISSIONER, OR JUDGE; AND THE RESOLUTION OF THE MATTER:

7. HAVE YOU FILED ALL FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAX RETURNS THAT ARE NOW DUE AND ARE ALL PAYMENTS OF TAXES CURRENT?

YES NO

8. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS NO, PLEASE PROVIDE A COMPLETE EXPLANATION:

5. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN:

6. ARE YOU TAKING ANY PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION ON A REGULAR BASIS? IF SO, FOR WHAT MEDICAL CONDITION?

7. DO YOU EVER CONSUME ALCOHOL OR ANY DRUGS, INCLUDING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS, IN SUCH A MANNER THAT WOULD AFFECT YOUR PERFORMANCE AS A JUDGE?

YES NO

8. IF THE ANSWER TO THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN:

J. ADDITIONAL QUALITIES

1. PLEASE PROVIDE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THAT YOU DEEM APPROPRIATE IN SUPPORT OF YOUR APPLICATION.

2. PLEASE LIST FIVE PERSONS WHO ARE IN A POSITION TO COMMENT ON YOUR QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE JUDICIAL OFFICE APPLIED FOR BY THIS APPLICATION AND WHO MAY BE ASKED BY THE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE INFORMATION RELATING TO YOU:

NAME: _____
OCCUPATION: _____
DEPARTMENT/OFFICE: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE: _____
PHONE: _____

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K. APPEAL DECISIONS

(APPLIES ONLY TO HAWAII DISTRICT COURT, CIRCUIT COURT AND INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEAL JUDGES, INCLUDING PER DIEM DISTRICT AND FAMILY COURT JUDGES)
WRITTEN RESPONSES TO THIS SECTION MAY BE PLACED ON THIS APPLICATION IN THE SPACES PROVIDED OR SUBMITTED AS AN ATTACHMENT.

1. STATE THE FULL CITATION AND SUMMARY CONCLUSION (E.G., REVERSED, VACATED AND REMANDED, ETC.) OF ANY APPELLATE DECISION THAT DID NOT FULLY AFFIRM A DECISION YOU RENDERED DURING YOUR TERM(S) IN JUDICIAL OFFICE. PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF ALL SUCH DECISIONS THAT WERE NOT PUBLISHED.

L. PENDING MATTERS

(APPLIES ONLY TO HAWAII DISTRICT COURT, CIRCUIT COURT, AND INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEAL JUDGES, INCLUDING PER DIEM DISTRICT AND FAMILY COURT JUDGES)
WRITTEN RESPONSES TO THIS SECTION MAY BE PLACED ON THIS APPLICATION IN THE SPACES PROVIDED OR SUBMITTED AS AN ATTACHMENT.

1. IF YOU HAVE ANY PENDING ORDERS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN ISSUED WITHIN 60 DAYS FOLLOWING A HEARING ON A MOTION, PLEASE PROVIDE THE COMMISSION WITH THE NAME OF THE CASE AND THE DATE OF THE HEARING.

2. IF YOU PRESIDED OVER A JURY-WAIVED TRIAL AND A DECISION HAS NOT BEEN RENDERED WITHIN 120 DAYS OF THE END OF THE TRIAL TO DATE, PLEASE PROVIDE THE NAME OF THE CASE AND THE DATE OR DATES OF THAT JURY-WAIVED TRIAL.

3. IF YOU HAVE ANY OTHER SUBSTANTIVE MATTER THAT HAS BEEN PENDING FOR MORE THAN 60 DAYS, PLEASE BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE MATTER AND STATE THE DATE WHEN THE MATTER BECAME PENDING.

I, _____, certify that the information and statements provided herein are, to the best of my knowledge, true, accurate and complete.

DATED: _____ Hawaii, _____

Signature of Applicant

The attached document: Application for
Judicial Office dated _____,
which consists of _____
(_____) pages (including this page), was
executed by _____

who was subscribed and sworn to before me
this ____ day of _____, 2009
in the _____ Judicial Circuit of the State
of Hawaii.

(notary stamp or seal)

[Notary Signature]

Printed Name: _____

My commission expires: _____

WAIVER, AUTHORIZATION, AND RELEASE

I am an applicant for judicial office. This Waiver, Authorization, and Release form is executed to assist the Hawaii Federal Judicial Selection Commission ("Commission") in obtaining information and evaluating my application for judicial office. The Commission, by its Charter, will use its best efforts to keep any non-public information confidential through its internal procedures. However, the undersigned is hereby informed that such information is not otherwise protected by any Constitutional or statutory provisions. The Commission believes that it needs the information sought by this application in order to accomplish its responsibilities to the President, Hawaii's U.S. Senators and the U.S. Senate, and thus is asking for this Waiver, Authorization, and Release, as follows:

I hereby waive any law, rule, regulation, or legal principle limiting disclosure or prescribing confidentiality of, or limiting access to, information that is deemed by the Commission to be relevant to evaluating my application.

Furthermore, I authorize anyone having access, custody, or control of any information pertaining to me to furnish to the Commission all information deemed by the Commission to be relevant to evaluating my application including, without limitation, information from the State of Hawaii Commission on Judicial Conduct, Department of Taxation, Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center, Hawaii State Ethics Commission, Judicial Evaluation Reports, Office of Disciplinary Counsel, all County Police Departments, all of my health care providers, and credit reporting agencies.

Furthermore, I release and discharge the President, Hawaii's U.S. Senators, the U.S. Senate and members thereof, this Commission, its individual members, their agents and representatives, and any person furnishing documents, records, information, or data to the Commission from any and all liability of every nature and kind arising out of, relating to, or connected with the furnishing of documents, records, information, or data to the Commission, and the release and use of such documents, records, information, and data by the Commission.

Furthermore, I waive and release any rights that I have or may have in the future to the documents, records, information, or data concerning me gathered by the Commission or contained in the files and records of the Commission or any of its past, present and future members.

DATED: _____, _____, Hawaii.

Printed Name

Signature

Printed Home Address

Preferred Home Phone No.

Soc. Sec. No.: _____

Date of Birth: _____

STATE OF HAWAII

)
) ss.
)

The attached document: Waiver, Authorization and Release, dated _____, which consists of _____ (_____) pages (including this page), was executed by _____ on this _____ day of _____, 2009 in the _____ Judicial Circuit of the State of Hawaii, personally known/proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s), who personally appeared before me and being by me duly sworn or affirmed, did say that such person(s) executed the foregoing instrument as the free act and deed of such person(s), and if applicable in the capacity(ies) shown, having been duly authorized to execute such instrument in such capacity(ies).

(notary stamp or seal)

[Notary Signature]

Printed Name: _____

My commission expires: _____

<u>NOTARY CERTIFICATION STATEMENT</u>	
Document Identification or Description: _____	
Document Date: _____	
No. of Pages: _____	
Jurisdiction (in which notarial act is performed): _____	
Signature of Notary	Date of Notarization and Certification Statement
(Notary Stamp or Seal)	
Printed Name of Notary	

Director of Taxation State of Hawaii
Department of Taxation
P. O. Box 259
Honolulu, Hawaii 96809

Dear Sir or Madam:

I have submitted an application for judicial office with the Hawaii Federal Judicial Selection Commission. As a part of the evaluation process, the Hawaii Federal Judicial Selection Commission is interested in my tax status. Therefore, this letter authorizes the Department of Taxation to advise the Hawaii Federal Judicial Selection Commission of my tax status in terms of whether I am current or in arrears. Attached to this letter is a State of Hawaii Tax Clearance Application form which Applicant should also sign. If I file a joint return with my spouse, my spouse joins in this request by signing below. Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Printed Name

Soc. Sec. No.

Date

Signature of Spouse

Printed Name of Spouse

Soc. Sec. No. of Spouse

Date

Enclosure

STATE OF HAWAII — DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION
TAX CLEARANCE APPLICATION
PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION: (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Applicant's Name _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip Code _____
DBA/Trade Name _____

2. TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S): (Complete applicable ID numbers)

HAWAII TAX ID # W _____ - _____
FEDERAL EMPLOYER ID # _____ - _____
(FEIN)
SOCIAL SECURITY #(SSN) _____ - _____

3. APPLICANT IS A/AN: (CHECK ONLY ONE BOX)

- CORPORATION S CORPORATION TAX EXEMPT ORGANIZATION
 INDIVIDUAL PARTNERSHIP ESTATE TRUST
 LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP
 Single Member LLC disregarded as separate from owner; enter owner's FEIN/SSN _____
 Subsidiary Corporation; enter parent corporation's name and FEIN _____

4. THE TAX CLEARANCE IS REQUIRED FOR:

- CITY, COUNTY, OR STATE GOVERNMENT CONTRACT IN HAWAII * LIQUOR LICENSE *
 REAL ESTATE LICENSE CONTRACTOR LICENSE BULK SALES**
 FINANCIAL CLOSING PROGRESS PAYMENT PERSONAL
 HAWAII STATE RESIDENCY FEDERAL CONTRACT LOAN
 SUBCONTRACT OTHER _____

* IRS APPROVAL STAMP IS ONLY REQUIRED FOR PURPOSES INDICATED BY AN ASTERISK.

** ATTACH FORM G-8A, REPORT OF BULK SALE OR TRANSFER

5. NO. OF CERTIFIED COPIES REQUESTED:

6. SIGNATURE:

PRINT NAME _____

PRINT TITLE: Corporate Officer, General Partner or Member, Individual (Sole Proprietor), Trustee, Executor

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

() - TELEPHONE

() - FAX

POWER OF ATTORNEY. If submitted by someone other than a Corporate Officer, General Partner or Member, Individual (Sole Proprietor), Trustee, or Executor, a power of attorney (State of Hawaii, Department of Taxation, Form N-848) must be submitted with this application. **If a Tax Clearance is required from the Internal Revenue Service, IRS Form 8821, or IRS Form 2848 is also required.** Applications submitted without proper authorization will be sent to the address of record with the taxing authority. **UNSIGNED APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.**
PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY — THE FRONT PAGE OF THIS APPLICATION BECOMES THE CERTIFICATE UPON APPROVAL.
SEE PAGE 2 ON REVERSE & SEPARATE INSTRUCTIONS. Failure to provide required information on page 2 of this application or as required in the separate instructions to this application will result in a denial of the Tax Clearance request.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
BUSINESS START DATE IN HAWAII IF APPLICABLE / /
HAWAII RETURNS FILED IF APPLICABLE 20____ 20____ 20____
STATE APPROVAL STAMP This is not an approved certificate unless the State approval stamp appears here.
*IRS APPROVAL STAMP
CERTIFIED COPY STAMP

7. **CITY, COUNTY, OR STATE GOVERNMENT CONTRACT:** Bid/Entering Into a Contract Completion/Final Payment
 For completion/final payment of contract, please provide the name and telephone number of the contact person at the State or County Agency.
 Name: _____ Telephone Number: _____

8. **LIQUOR LICENSING:** Initial Renewal Transfer-Seller Transfer-Buyer Special Event

9. **CONTRACTOR LICENSING:** Initial Renewal

10. **STATE RESIDENCY:** DATE APPLICANT ARRIVED IN HAWAII _____

11. **ACCOUNTING PERIOD:** Calendar year Fiscal year ending _____
 (MM/DD)

12. **TAX EXEMPT ORGANIZATION:**

- A) Provide the Internal Revenue Code Section that applies to your exemption. _____
 B) Does your organization file federal Form 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return? YES NO

13. **CORPORATION:** Parent's Corporation Name _____ FEIN _____

14. **INDIVIDUAL:** Spouse's Name _____ SSN _____

15. **IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A GENERAL EXCISE TAX LICENSE AND REQUIRE A TAX CLEARANCE FOR A GOVERNMENT CONTRACT:**

- A) Has your firm had any business income in Hawaii prior to the Bid? YES NO
 B) Does your firm have an office, inventory, property, employees, or other representatives in the State of Hawaii? YES NO
 C) Has your firm provided any services within the State of Hawaii? YES NO

16. **FILING THE APPLICATION FOR TAX CLEARANCE:**

The completed application may be mailed, faxed, or submitted in person to the Department of Taxation, Taxpayer Services Branch. Applications which require an Internal Revenue Service Tax Clearance will be forwarded to the Internal Revenue Service after processing is completed by the Department of Taxation. Allow up to 10 to 15 business days for processing between the Department of Taxation and the Internal Revenue Service.

State Dept. of Taxation
 TAXPAYER SERVICES BRANCH
 P.O. BOX 259
 HONOLULU, HI 96809-0259
 TELEPHONE NO.: 808-587-4242
 TOLL FREE: 1-800-222-3229
 FAX NO.: 808-587-1488
 or
 830 PUNCHBOWL STREET, RM 124
 HONOLULU, HI 96813-5094

Internal Revenue Service
 WAGE & INVESTMENT DIVISION
 -TC M/S H214
 FIELD ASSISTANCE GROUP 562
 300 ALA MOANA BLVD., #50089
 HONOLULU, HI 96850
 TELEPHONE NO.: 808-539-1555
 FAX NO.: 808-539-1573
 or
 TAXPAYER ASSISTANCE CENTER
 HONOLULU:
 300 ALA MOANA BLVD., RM 1-128

Applications are available at Department of Taxation and IRS offices in Hawaii, and may also be requested by calling the Department of Taxation's Forms By Fax/Mail request line on Oahu at 808-587-7572 or toll-free at 1-800-222-7572. The Tax Clearance Application, Form A-6, can be downloaded from the Department of Taxation's website (www.hawaii.gov/tax).

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TYPE OF TAX	TAX RETURNS FILED STATUS	Clerk's Initials	ITEMS RECEIVED
INCOME			
GENERAL EXCISE/USE/ COUNTY SURCHARGE TAX			
HAWAII WITHHOLDING			
TRANSIENT ACCOMMODATIONS			
RENTAL MOTOR /TOUR VEHICLE			
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE			
OTHER TAXES			