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COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND LABOR

Senator Clayton Hee, Chair  
Senator Russell S. Kokubun, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, January 19, 2007  
TIME: 10:00 am  
PLACE: Conference Room 229  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

Pursuant to Chief Justice Ronald T.Y. Moon's Appointment Order No. 2007-1 and in anticipation of its referral to the Committee on Judiciary and Labor, the Committee will hold a public hearing on the appointment of KEITH E. TANAKA, judicial nominee to the District Court of the Second Circuit.

**Decision Making to follow, if time permits.**

Persons wishing to testify should submit 40 three hole punched copies of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 227, State Capitol, 24 hours prior to the hearing. Testimony may also be faxed if less than 5 pages in length, to the Senate Sergeant-At-Arms Office at 586-6659 or 1-800-586-6659 (toll free for neighbor islands), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing. When faxing, please indicate to whom the testimony is being submitted, the date and time of the hearing, and the required number of copies needed for submittal. Testimony may also be emailed to [testimony@capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:testimony@capitol.hawaii.gov), at least 24 hours prior to the hearing.

If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids or services to participate in the public hearing process (i.e., sign language interpreter, wheelchair accessibility, or parking designated for the disabled) please contact the committee clerk 24 hours prior to the hearing so arrangements can be made.

Public Folder. A folder labeled "Public Folder" containing the measures and testimonies for the hearing will be available for shared use by members of the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE COMMITTEE CLERK AT 586-6874.



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Senator Clayton Hee  
Chair

Attachment: Chief Justice's Appointment Order No. 2007-1

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**Ronald T.Y. Moon**  
CHIEF JUSTICE

January 4, 2007

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
Senate President  
State Capitol, Room 409  
415 S. Beretania Street  
Honolulu, HI 96813

**Re: Chief Justice's Appointment Order No. 2007-1**

Dear President Hanabusa:

On December 4, 2006, the Judicial Selection Commission delivered to my office a list of candidates to fill the vacancy in the District Court of the Second Circuit, State of Hawai'i, that occurred upon the retirement of the Honorable Reinette Cooper.

Pursuant to article VI, section 3 of the Hawai'i Constitution, I have this day appointed **KEITH E. TANAKA** to fill the vacancy at the District Court of the Second Circuit. Enclosed for your information is a copy of Mr. Tanaka's resume.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R. T. Y. Moon".

**RONALD T. Y. MOON**  
Chief Justice

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Enclosure: Resume of Keith E. Tanaka

cc (w/enclosure):

Honorable Linda Lingle  
Honorable Clayton Hee, Senate Judiciary and Labor Committee  
Honorable Rosalyn H. Baker, Senate Ways & Means Committee  
Judicial Selection Commission