

DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

February 16, 2016

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi Senate President Twenty-Eighth Legislature Hawai'i State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, HI 96813

Dear Senate President Kouchi:

I am pleased to inform you that pursuant to section 17-3(b)(1), Hawaii Revised Statutes, I have appointed Mr. Kaiali'i Kahele effective immediately to temporarily serve as the Senator from the First Senatorial District of the Twenty-Eighth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i until elections are held to fill the vacant seat. Mr. Kahele's appointment fills the vacancy created in the First Senatorial District seat due to the passing of Senator Gilbert Kahele.

Sincerely,

David Y. Ige
Governor, State of Hawai'i

C: Lt. Governor Shan Tsutsui House Speaker Joseph M. Souki