



JUDICIARY COMM. NO. 10

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CHIEF JUSTICE

January 15, 2021

DELIVERED VIA EMAIL

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
Senate President
Hawaii State Capitol, Room 409
415 S. Beretania Street
Honolulu, HI 96813

Re: Chief Justice's Appointment Order No. 2021-2

Dear President Kouchi:

On December 17, 2020, the Judicial Selection Commission delivered to me a list of candidates to fill a position in the District Family Court of the Second Circuit.

Pursuant to article VI, section 3 of the Hawaii Constitution, I have this day appointed **JAMES R. ROUSE** to fill this position in the District Family Court. Enclosed for your information is a copy of Mr. Rouse's resume. Pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes Section 604-2, if confirmed by the Senate, Mr. Rouse's term of office would be for six years.

Sincerely,

Mark E. Recktenwald

MARK E. RECKTENWALD
Chief Justice

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Enclosure: Resume of James R. Rouse
cc (w/enclosure):

Governor David Y. Ige
Senator Karl A. Rhoads, Chair, Senate Committee on Judiciary
Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz, Chair, Senate Committee on Ways and Means
Ronette M. Kawakami, Chair, Judicial Selection Commission