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The Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Thirty-Second Legislature
Hawai'i State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Aloha Speaker Saiki:

I am pleased to inform you that pursuant to section 17-4 (a), Hawai'i Revised Statutes, I have appointed Mr. Matthias Kusch to serve as the representative from House District 1. Mr. Kusch shall serve his first appointment immediately, completing this current term in the Thirty-Second State Legislature. Then, Mr. Kusch shall serve a full two-year term in the Thirty-Third State Legislature, starting in January 2025.

These appointments fill the vacancy created in the 1st House District due to the untimely passing of Representative Mark M. Nakashima on July 11, 2024. Representative Nakashima was running unopposed for the 1st House District seat in both the primary and general elections, and the candidate filing deadline ended on June 4, 2024.

Mahalo,

Josh Green, M.D.
Governor, State of Hawai'i

- c: The Honorable Sylvia Luke, Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawai'i
The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, President of the Senate, State of Hawai'i
Mr. Derek Turbin, Chairperson, Democratic Party of Hawai'i