

THE SENATE  
KA 'AHA KENEKOA

INTERIM OF 2025

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Senator Karl Rhoads, Chair  
Senator Mike Gabbard, Vice Chair

AMENDED NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING – CANCELLATION

DATE: ~~Thursday, July 31, 2025~~  
TIME: ~~10:00 A.M.~~  
PLACE: ~~Conference Room 016~~  
~~& Videoconference~~  
~~State Capitol~~  
~~415 South Beretania Street~~

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**[Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Informational Briefing  
has been cancelled and will be rescheduled to a later date]**

**Informational Briefing on the Rule of Law**

~~The purpose of this informational briefing is to discuss the rule of law. The World Justice Project defines the rule of law as "a durable system of laws, institutions, norms, and community commitment that delivers four universal principles: accountability, just law, open government, and accessible and impartial justice." Recent presidential executive orders and policies raise questions about whether the current Administration is following federal law. This informational briefing will examine that question and what effect federal government actions are having on Hawai'i residents.~~

- ~~1. Welcome and Introductions (10 mins)~~
- ~~2. U.S. Representative Ed Case, Hawai'i's First Congressional District (20 mins)~~
- ~~3. Questions from the Committee — 5 minutes per member for questions and answers (25 min)~~

[Briefing Materials](#)

No public testimony will be accepted.

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Senator Karl Rhoads  
Chair

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Senator Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate