## JUDICIARY COMM. NO. 1



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## HAND DELIVERED

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

Re: Chief Justice's Appointment Order No. 2018-7

Dear President Kouchi:

On September 11, 2018, the Judicial Selection Commission delivered to me a list of candidates to fill a vacancy in the District Court of the First Circuit, due to the appointment of Judge James Ashford to the Circuit Court bench.

Pursuant to article VI, section 3 of the Hawai'i Constitution, I have this day appointed Summer M.M. Kupau-Odo to fill this position in the District Court. Enclosed for your information is a copy of Ms. Kupau-Odo's resume. Pursuant to Hawai'i Revised Statutes Section 604-2, if confirmed by the Senate, Ms. Kupau-Odo's term of office would be for six years.

Sincerely,
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MARK E. RECKTENWALD

Chief Justice

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Enclosure: Resume of Summer Kupau-Odo

cc (w/enclosure):

Governor David Y. Ige

Senator Brian T. Taniguchi, Chair, Senate Committee on Judiciary Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz, Chair, Senate Committee on Ways and Means

Dr. Jackie Young, Chair, Judicial Selection Commission