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CHIEF JUSTICE

JUDICIARY COMM. NO. 6

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HAND DELIVERED

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. 2020-6

Dear President Kouchi:

On August 14, 2020, the Judicial Selection Commission delivered to me a list of candidates to fill a vacancy in the District Family Court of the First Circuit, due to the retirement of Judge Steven Nakashima.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark E. Recktenwald". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

MARK E. RECKTENWALD
Chief Justice

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Enclosure: Resume of Elizabeth Paek-Harris

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