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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Amendment  
of the

RULES OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

ORDER AMENDING RULE 2(e) OF THE  
RULES OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

(By: Moon, C.J., Nakayama, Acoba, Duffy, and Recktenwald, JJ.)

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Rule 2(e) of the Rules of the District Court of the State of Hawaii, is amended, effective *nunc pro tunc*, July 1, 2005, as follows (new material is underscored):



**Rule 2. FILING PROCEDURE.**

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(e) **Signatures.** Any order or judgment that is filed electronically bearing a facsimile signature in lieu of an original signature of a judge or clerk has the same force and effect as if the judge or clerk had affixed the judge's or clerk's signature to a paper copy of the order or judgment and it had been entered on the docket in a conventional manner. For purposes of this rule and any rules of court, the facsimile signature may be either an image of a handwritten signature or the software printed name of the judge preceded by /s/.

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DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, December 21, 2009.

  
Hon. C. Nakayama  
  
Hon. E. Duffy, Jr.  
Hon. E. Recktenwald