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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In Re

HAWAII TASK FORCE ON ATTORNEY WELL-BEING

ORDER

(By: Recktenwald, C.J.)

In August, 2016, a National Task Force on Lawyer Well-Being was initiated, with representatives from organizations including the ABA Commission on Lawyer Assistance Programs, the National Organization of Bar Counsel, and the Association of Professional Responsibility Lawyers. Its mission was to promote nationwide awareness, recognition, and treatment of issues relating to attorney well-being, thereby changing the culture of the legal profession such that impairments are reduced and well-being is increased. In August 2017, that task force issued a report entitled "The Path to Lawyer Well-Being: Practical Recommendations for Positive Change."

NOW, THEREFORE, as a result of the National Task Force's August 2017 report and the recommendations contained therein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. A Hawai'i Task Force on Lawyer Well-Being (Hawai'i Task Force) is hereby established, effective upon the filing of this order.

2. The purpose of the Hawai'i Task Force is to review the recommendations of the National Task Force on how to address lawyer well-being issues, assess which recommendations can be implemented to address the unique needs of Hawai'i's legal community, and recommend how those proposals can best be implemented.

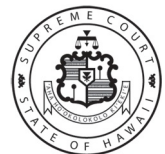
3. The individuals appointed as members of the Hawai'i Task Force are set forth in Appendix A. The Chief Justice may appoint additional members as may be necessary.

4. The Hawai'i Task Force shall meet at the discretion of the Co-Chairs.

5. On or before June 1, 2021, the Hawai'i Task Force shall submit to the Chief Justice its final report containing its findings and recommendations.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawai'i, May 10, 2019.

/s/ Mark E. Recktenwald
Chief Justice



APPENDIX A

MEMBERS OF THE HAWAI'I TASK FORCE ON LAWYER WELL-BEING

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>
Honorable Sabrina S. McKenna	Co-Chair
Louise K.Y. Ing, Esq.	Co-Chair
Honorable Leslie E. Kobayashi	U.S. Dist. Ct., District of HI
Honorable Darolyn Lendio Heim	Judge - First Circuit
Honorable Kirstin M. Hamman	Judge - Second Circuit
Honorable Wendy M. DeWeese	Judge - Third Circuit
Honorable Kathleen N.A. Watanabe	Judge - Fifth Circuit
Derek R. Kobayashi, Esq.	HSBA Board of Directors
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Emiko L.T. Meyers, Esq.	Kaua'i Bar Association
Justin F. Kollar, Esq.	Prosecuting Attorney
Kirsha K.M. Durante, Esq.	Public Defender
Angela J. Lovitt, Esq.	Legal Services Organization
Liam M. Deeley, Esq.	Attorneys & Judges Assistance Program
Bradley R. Tamm, Esq.	Office of Disciplinary Counsel
Assoc. Prof. Calvin G.C. Pang	William S. Richardson School of Law
Hugh R. Jones, Esq.	University of Hawai'i Foundation
Puananionaona P. Thoene, Esq.	Task Force Reporter