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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I

In the Matter of the
HAWAI‘I FAMILY COURT RULES

AMENDED¹

ORDER AMENDING RULE 72 OF THE
HAWAI‘I FAMILY COURT RULES

(By: Recktenwald, C.J., Nakayama, McKenna, Pollack, and Wilson, JJ.)

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Rule 72 of the Hawai‘i Family Court Rules is amended, effective January 1, 2020, as follows (new material is underscored):

Rule 72. APPEAL TO THE FAMILY COURT

(b) Time. The notice of appeal shall be filed in the family court of the circuit [~~court~~] in which the appellant resides within 30 days of the preliminary ruling or within 30 days after the service of the certified copy of the final decision and order. However, if the notice of appeal is mailed, the notice of appeal shall be deemed timely filed if the mailing is postmarked within the time fixed for filing and is received by the clerk no later than 5 days after the postmarked date. For the purposes of calculating other deadlines in these Rules,

¹ The original order was filed on July 3, 2019. This amended order corrects the language concerning the appropriate filing of the notice of appeal, by deleting "court" after "circuit" in the first sentence of Rule 72(b).

the date of filing under this Rule shall be the date the document is received by the clerk.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, July 9, 2019.

/s/ Mark E. Recktenwald

/s/ Paula A. Nakayama

/s/ Sabrina S. McKenna

/s/ Richard W. Pollack

/s/ Michael D. Wilson

