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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I

In the Matter of the
TENANT-ADVOCATE PILOT PROJECT, FIRST CIRCUIT

ORDER GRANTING A ONE-YEAR EXTENSION OF
THE TENANT-ADVOCATE PILOT PROJECT IN THE FIRST CIRCUIT
(By: Recktenwald, C.J., Nakayama, McKenna, Wilson and Eddins, JJ.)

Upon consideration of the report submitted to this court by the Access to Justice Commission, by letter dated January 19, 2022, requesting an extension of the Tenant-Advocate Pilot Project for the First Circuit,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the request is granted. The Tenant-Advocate Pilot Project for the First Circuit is extended for another year, to expire on February 11, 2023, unless further extended or made permanent by order of this court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Legal Aid Society of Hawai‘i shall submit, within nine months of the entry date of

this order, a report to the Access to Justice Commission regarding the performance of the Pilot Project, and the Access to Justice Commission shall submit to this court, within two months thereafter, a report addressing the project's viability and feasibility, as well as a recommendation regarding the long-term fate of the project. The Commission, however, may request an extension of this deadline for good cause.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, February 1, 2022.

/s/ Mark E. Recktenwald

/s/ Paula A. Nakayama

/s/ Sabrina S. McKenna

/s/ Michael D. Wilson

/s/ Todd W. Eddins

