## HAWAI'I RULES FOR CERTIFICATION OF SPOKEN-LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS

## **APPENDIX A**

## **Tiers of Court Interpreter Designation**

Tier	Designation	Hourly Fee	Requirement
All Tiers of Court Interpreter Designations must fulfill the minimum requirements set forth under Tier 1			
6	Certified Master	\$55	Full Consortium Oral Exam: 80% for Simultaneous; 80% for Consecutive; 80% overall for Sight Translation, with at least 75% for each subpart; or Federal Court Interpreter Certification Exam (FCICE)
5	N/A	N/A	N/A
4	Certified	\$45	Full Consortium Oral Exam: 70% for Simultaneous; 70% for Consecutive; 70% overall for Sight Translation, with at least 65% for each subpart
3	Approved	\$40	Full Consortium Oral Exam: 60% for Simultaneous; 60% for Consecutive; 60% overall for Sight Translation, with at least 55% for each subpart; or  Abbreviated Consortium Oral Exam: 70% for Simultaneous; 70% for Oral English Proficiency component; or  Alternative Credential Recognition for passage of an exam approved by the Judiciary; or U.S. Department of State Oral Exam "Conference Interpreter" designation
2	Conditionally Approved	\$35	Abbreviated Consortium Oral Exam: 60% for Simultaneous; 60% for Oral English Proficiency component; or Alternative Credential Recognition for passage of an exam approved by the Judiciary; or U.S. Department of State Oral Exam "Seminar Interpreter" designation
1	Registered	\$25	2-Day Basic Orientation Workshop: 70% for Consortium Written Exam; 80% for Hawai'i Basic Ethics Test; and Passage of Criminal Background Check

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