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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I

STATE OF HAWAI‘I, Petitioner/Plaintiff-Appellee,

vs.

ALEXANDER AQUINO, Respondent/Defendant-Appellant.

CERTIORARI TO THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS
(CAAP-22-0000499; CASE NO. 3CPC-21-0000757)

ORDER ACCEPTING APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
(By: Recktenwald, C.J., McKenna, Eddins, and Devens, JJ., and
Circuit Judge Somerville, in place of Ginoza, J., recused)

Petitioner/Plaintiff-Appellee State of Hawai‘i’s application for writ of certiorari filed on December 22, 2023, is accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that no oral argument will be heard in this case. Any party may, within ten days and pursuant to Rule 34(c) of the Hawai‘i Rules of Appellate Procedure, move for retention of oral argument.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai‘i, February 7, 2024.

/s/ Mark E. Recktenwald

/s/ Sabrina S. McKenna

/s/ Todd W. Eddins

/s/ Vladimir P. Devens

/s/ Rowena A. Somerville

