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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I

In the Matter of the
LAWYERS’ FUND FOR CLIENT PROTECTION

ORDER APPROVING THE 2025 BUDGET
OF THE LAWYERS’ FUND FOR CLIENT PROTECTION
(By: Recktenwald, C.J., McKenna, Eddins, Ginoza, and Devens, JJ.)

Upon consideration of the Lawyers’ Fund for Client Protection’s proposed 2025 operating budget request and supporting attachments, which was submitted to this court by H. Shan Wirt, Chairperson of the Lawyers’ Fund for Client Protection, by letter dated October 3, 2024, and the request therein to increase the annual fees to the following rates: attorneys in practice for up to 5 years, \$35.00; attorneys in practice for over 5 years, \$60.00; and, Pro Hac Vice and Foreign Law Consultants, \$100.00.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to Rule 10.4(1)(v) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Hawai‘i that the Lawyers’ Fund for Client Protection’s proposed budget for

calendar year 2025 which is attached hereto and the increased annual fees are approved.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, November 4, 2024.

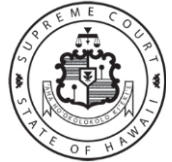
/s/ Mark E. Recktenwald

/s/ Sabrina S. McKenna

/s/ Todd W. Eddins

/s/ Lisa M. Ginoza

/s/ Vladimir P. Devens



2025 Budget and 2026-2027 Projections

	2024 Budget	2024 YTD through 6/30/2024	2024 Full year forecast	2025 Budget	2026 Projection	2027 Projection
Additions						
Assessments	216,000	212,044	217,000	259,000	259,000	259,000
Interest	7,900	15	7,900	9,600	10,900	12,200
Restitution	-	2,550	2,550	-	-	-
Total Additions	223,900	214,609	227,450	268,600	269,900	271,200
Deductions						
Fees -ODC	120,000	120,000	120,000	120,000	120,000	120,000
Professional Fees	10,000	1,046	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Insurance-Fidelity bond	395	-	395	405	415	425
Conference and travel	12,000	2,819	12,000	12,500	13,000	13,500
Web site maintenance	2,400	2,660	2,400	2,800	2,800	2,800
Flier and Printing costs	500	-	500	500	500	500
HSBA Credit Card Fees	4,300	4,557	4,300	5,200	5,200	5,200
Other	2,000	745	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Total Deductions	151,595	131,827	151,595	153,405	153,915	154,425
Net	72,305	82,782	75,855	115,195	115,985	116,775
Balance BOY	347,744	347,744	347,744	322,599	362,794	406,779
Available for awards	420,049	430,526	423,599	437,794	478,779	523,554
Awards	101,000	44,428	101,000	75,000	72,000	90,000
Balance EOY	319,049	386,098	322,599	362,794	406,779	433,554

Approved for submission on August 28, 2024 by Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection Trustees