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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

NATHANIEL GRAHAM; JOEL KREISS; and HAWAII'S ELECTRIC BIKE, LLC
dba RIDESMART MAUI, Petitioners,

vs.

THE HONORABLE LANCE COLLINS,
Judge of the District Court of the Second Circuit,
State of Hawai'i, Respondent Judge,

and

RIDESMART MAUI LLC; LEE A. CHAMBERLAIN, Respondents.

ORIGINAL PROCEEDING
(CASE NO. 2DRC-24-0001244)

ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS
(By: McKenna, Acting C.J., Eddins, Ginoza, and Devens, JJ.,
and Circuit Judge Holma, assigned by reason of vacancy)

Upon consideration of the petition for writ of mandamus
filed August 19, 2025, and the record, counsel's former
representation of Respondent Ridesmart Maui LLC is substantially
related to the litigation in 2DRC-24-0001244. See Hawai'i Rules
of Professional Conduct (HRPC) Rule 1.9(a); Straub Clinic &

Hosp. v. Kochi, 81 Hawai‘i 410, 414-17, 917 P.2d 1284, 1288-91 (1996). Additionally, the interests of counsel’s former and present clients are materially adverse to each other in 2DRC-24-0001244. See HRPC Rule 1.9(a); Straub, 81 Hawai‘i at 417, 917 P.2d at 1291. The district court’s order granting the motion to disqualify counsel does not amount to a flagrant and manifest abuse of discretion. See Straub, 81 Hawai‘i at 414-15, 917 P.2d at 1288-89.

It is ordered that the petition is denied.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai‘i, April 16, 2026.

/s/ Sabrina S. McKenna

/s/ Todd W. Eddins

/s/ Lisa M. Ginoza

/s/ Vladimir P. Devens

/s/ Karin L. Holma

