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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAIʻI

In re Closing of all the State Courts in the
Fifth Judicial Circuit, Island of Kauaʻi,
in the State of Hawaiʻi

on

Tuesday, September 8, 2026

ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE ITEMS DUE TO BE FILED
OR TO CONDUCT HEARINGS REQUIRED TO BE HELD ON
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2026 IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
(By: Devens, C.J.)

In consideration of the closing of all of the State Courts in the Fifth Judicial Circuit, Island Kauaʻi, on Tuesday, September 8, 2026, due to the effects of Hurricane Lowell, and under the authority of Hawaiʻi Revised Statutes §§ HRS 601-1.5 601-2, and article VI, sections 6 and 7 of the Constitution of the State of Hawaiʻi,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the time for filing documents due to have been filed in the State Circuit, District, and District Family Courts in the Fifth Judicial Circuit, Island Kauaʻi, on September 8, 2026, is extended to Wednesday, September 9, 2026. All documents due to have been filed in the Fifth Judicial Circuit, Island Kauaʻi on Tuesday, September 8, 2026, shall be deemed to have been timely filed if they are filed by the end of the day on Wednesday, September 9, 2026.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that hearings or trials cancelled due to the closure of the courts in the Fifth Judicial Circuit, Island Kauaʻi on Tuesday, September 8, 2026, shall be rescheduled to the next available date with due regard for any statutory mandates.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaiʻi, September 7, 2026.

/s/ Vladimir P. Devens

Chief Justice