

DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

July 10, 2017 GOV. MSG. NO. 1213

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,
President
and Members of the Senate
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Twenty-Ninth State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on July 10, 2017, the following bill was signed into law:

HB301 HD1 SD1 CD1

RELATING TO RESPONSE TO WRIT FOR CERTIORARI

ACT 112 (17)

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

Approved by the Governor
JUL 10 2017

**ORIGINAL** 

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE, 2017 STATE OF HAWAII ACT 112 H.B. NO. H.D. 1 S.D. 1

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO RESPONSE TO WRIT FOR CERTIORARI.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 602-59, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is 2 amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows: 3 An application for a writ of certiorari may be filed "(c) 4 with the supreme court no later than thirty days after the 5 filing of the judgment or dismissal order of the intermediate appellate court. Upon a written request filed prior to the 6 7 expiration of the thirty-day period, a party may extend the time for filing an application for a writ of certiorari for no more 8 9 than an additional thirty days. [Opposition] A response to an 10 application for a writ of certiorari may be filed no later than 11 fifteen days after the application is filed. Upon a timely 12 written request by a party, the clerk of the court shall grant 13 one extension of time for no more than fifteen days for filing a 14 response to an application for a writ of certiorari. The clerk 15 of the court shall note on the record that the extension was 16 granted. The clerk of the court shall give notice that the 17 request is timely and granted. A request is timely only if it 18 is received by the clerk of the court within the original time

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- for filing of the response. The supreme court shall determine 1
- to accept the application within thirty days after [an
- objection] a response is or could have been filed. The failure 3
- of the supreme court to accept within thirty days shall 4
- constitute a rejection of the application." 5
- 6 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
- 7 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.
- SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval; 8
- provided that section 602-59(c), Hawaii Revised Statutes, shall
- apply in the form in which it read on the day before the 10
- 11 effective date of this Act to cases in which the intermediate
- 12 appellate court's judgment or dismissal order was filed before
- 13 the effective date of this Act.

APPROVED this 10 day of JUL , 2017

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

### THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2017 Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Twenty-Ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2017.

Joseph M. Souki

Speaker

House of Representatives

Brian L. Takeshita

Chief Clerk

House of Representatives

### THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 2, 2017 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2017.

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President of the Senate

Clerk of the Senate