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Via electronic submission

The Honorable Ronald Kouchi President of the Senate

The Honorable Scott Saiki Speaker of the House of Representatives

Re: Hawai'i Revised Statutes § 37-52.5 (a) – administratively established new accounts

Dear President Kouchi and Speaker Saiki:

As required by HRS § 37-52.5(a), the Judiciary respectfully submits this report to the Legislature on the following administratively established new accounts:

<u>Account No. S-21-227-J State Access and Visitation Program FY21 -- \$100,000.00</u>

Justification for the establishment of the account or fund: To help increase noncustodial parents access to time with their children.

Source of revenue: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Administration for Children & Families (ACF), CFDA No.: 93.597.

Account No. S-21-228-J Court Improvement Program FY21 (CIP) -- \$108,116.00

Justification for the establishment of the account or fund: To fund contract services related to child welfare and family programs. For staff and team members to the attend the annual CIP conference and other collaboration meetings.

Source of revenue for the fund: DHHS - Administration for Children and Families (ACF) CFDA No. 93.586.

Account No. S-21-229-J Court Improvement Program FY21 (CIT) -- \$104,708.00

Justification for the establishment of the account or fund: To hold the annual multidisciplinary conference (Ohana is Forever) and annual training seminars for collaborative service partners (DHS, CWS, DOE, DOH).

Source of revenue for the fund: DHHS - Administration for Children and Families (ACF) CFDA No. 93.586.

Account No. S-21-230 Court Improvement Data Program FY21 (CID) -- \$104,708.00 Justification for the establishment of the account or fund: To study and conduct surveys on the quality of legal representation and youth services in the court process. Contract with UH to perform data collection and analysis of various child welfare services.

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Source of revenue for the fund: DHHS - Administration for Children and Families (ACF) CFDA No. 93.586.

If there is any additional information that you would like to have regarding these particular federal grants, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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