



MISC. COMM. NO. 2

HAWAII STATE LEGISLATURE

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April 26, 2024

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Senate Members
All House Members

FROM: Senate President Ronald D. Kouchi
House Speaker Scott K. Saiki

RE: Extension of Final Decking Filing Deadline to Midnight

The deadline to file conference committee reports and bill drafts for fiscal bills was established as 11:30 p.m. on April 26, 2024. However, many measures were the subject of negotiation throughout the day, and the number of bill drafts needing intricate attention by drafting agencies has resulted in the inability to meet the filing deadline. We feel that since the conferees reached agreement, allowing these bills to die based on an internal procedural deadline is not in the best interest of the people of Hawaii.

Pursuant to Rule 13 of the 2024 Joint House and Senate Committees on Conference Procedures, we hereby authorize an extension of the deadline to file these bills and committee reports with our respective Clerk's offices from 11:30 p.m. to midnight.

Ronald D. Kouchi
President of the Senate

Scott K. Saiki
Speaker of the House

cc: Senate Chief Clerk
Senate Sergeant-at-Arms
House Chief Clerk
House Sergeant-at-Arms