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No.SCPw-24-0000464

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

PUBLIC INTEREST LAW CENTER) ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS) FFM-0000018
Petitioner,) FFM-0000019
Vs.) RESPONSE TO PETITION) FOR WRIT OF PROHIBITION
THE HONORABLE MATTHEW J. VIOLA, Senior Judge of the Family) AND WRIT OF MANDAMUS
Court of the First Circuit, State of Hawai'l, Respondent Judge,) FAMILY COURT OF THE FIRST) CIRCUIT, STATE OF HAWAI'I
And) The Honorable Matthew J. Viola,) Family Court of the First Circuit,
THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, STATE OF HAWAI'I; et. al., Respondents.) State of Hawaii)

RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS AND WRIT OF MANDAMUS

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This Guardian Ad Litem did not object to the release of the proceeding records requested by petitioner in the actions brought below in the Family Court of the First Circuit, and defers to the Family Court and to the Hawaii Supreme Court as to what may be released in response to the request made by petitioner.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawaii, August 29, 2024.

/s/Dean T. Nagamine
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