STATE OF HAWAI‘I

HAWAI‘I LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of

HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO,

Exclusive Representative,

and

DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, State of Hawai‘i; RICK BLANGIARDI, Mayor, City and County of Honolulu; MITCH ROTH, Mayor, County of Hawai‘i; MICHAEL VICTORINO, Mayor, County of Maui; DEREK KAWAKAMI, Mayor, County of Kaua‘i, MARK E. RECKTENWALD, Chief Justice, the Judiciary, State of Hawai‘i; and BOARD OF DIRECTORS, Hawai‘i Health Systems Corporation,

Employers.

CASE NO(S). 21-I-15-193

ORDER NO. 3807

ORDER APPOINTING NEUTRAL ARBITRATOR AND CHAIRPERSON

By a letter dated October 29, 2021, the HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO (HGEA) and Ryker Wada, Chief Negotiator, Office of Collective Bargaining, State of Hawai‘i, representing the Employer group (State of Hawai‘i; Mayors of the Counties of Hawai‘i, Honolulu, Kaua‘i, and Maui; the Judiciary, State of Hawai‘i; and Hawai‘i Health Systems Corporation) (collectively with HGEA as Parties) jointly notified the Hawai‘i Labor Relations Board (Board) that they agreed to the selection of RICHARD D. FINCHER, J.D. (Chair Finch), as the neutral Chair for the three-member interest arbitration for the resolution of the impasse in the bargaining unit 15 negotiations, affecting State and county ocean safety and water safety officers. In the letter, the Parties further notified the Board that
the Parties are working on the selection of their respective representatives on the arbitration panel and will be working with Chair Fincher on the deadline for final positions.

Therefore, under Hawai‘i Revised Statutes (HRS) § 89-11(e)(2)(A), the Board appoints RICHARD D. FINCHER, J.D., as the neutral arbitrator and chairperson of the arbitration panel, and he shall have the authority and duties as conferred by law.

The Board requests that the Parties notify the Board of their selection of their respective representatives as soon as possible. The Board will appoint and certify the remaining members of the panel and confer such authority and duties upon the panel upon submission by the Parties of their selections for the other two members of the arbitration panel in accordance with HRS § 89-11(e)(2)(A).

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai‘i, November 1, 2021.

HAWAIʻI LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

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The Honorable Mitch Roth, Mayor, County of Hawai‘i
The Honorable Rick Blangiardi, Mayor, City and County of Honolulu
The Honorable Derek Kawakami, May, County of Kaua‘i
The Honorable Michael Victorino, Mayor, County of Maui
The Honorable Mark E. Recktenwald, Chief Justice, Hawai‘i Judiciary
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