

STATE OF HAWAI'I

HAWAI'I LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of

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

Complainants,

and

DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, State of  
Hawai'i, BRUCE ANDERSON, Ph. D.,  
Director, Department of Health, State of  
Hawai'i; KEITH KAWAOKA, Deputy  
Director, Environmental Health  
Administration, Department of Health, State  
of Hawai'i; LYNN NAKASONE,  
Administrator, Environmental Health  
Services Division, Department of Health,  
State of Hawai'i; NANCY BARTTER,  
Administrative Officer, Environmental  
Resources Office, Department of Health,  
State of Hawai'i,

Respondents.

CASE NO. 17-CE-13-904

ORDER NO. 3514

ORDER CANCELLING PREVIOUSLY  
SCHEDULED DATES AND DEADLINES;  
NOTICE OF STATUS CONFERENCE

ORDER CANCELLING PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED DATES AND DEADLINES

On May 30, 2019, Complainant HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO (HGEA) filed a Stipulation to Hold a Status Conference (Stipulation) with the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board (Board). In the Stipulation,

HGEA and Respondents DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, State of Hawai‘i, BRUCE ANDERSON, Ph. D., Director, Department of Health, State of Hawai‘i; KEITH KAWAOKA, Deputy Director, Environmental Health Administration, Department of Health, State of Hawai‘i; LYNN NAKASONE, Administrator, Environmental Health Services Division, Department of Health, State of Hawai‘i; NANCY BARTTER, Administrative Officer, Environmental Resources Office, Department of Health, State of Hawai‘i (Respondents) agreed to hold a status conference due to “recent events that have occurred and that the parties have become aware of which may affect current deadlines and hearing dates previously set by this Board.”

On May 30, 2019, the Board noticed a status conference for June 12, 2019.

On June 12, 2019, the Board held the status conference. The parties notified the Board of certain developments in the case, including, among other things, that the Department of Health (DOH) had decided to forego the consolidation of divisions previously contemplated and at issue in this case, that the representative for HGEA would be unavailable for an unknown period of time, and that one of the key witnesses for the case would be unavailable during the previously scheduled hearing on the merits (HOM). Based on these developments, the parties agreed to cancel all previously scheduled dates and deadlines and hold a status conference on July 9, 2019 to discuss future availability.

Accordingly, the Board cancels all previously scheduled dates and deadlines, including the Pretrial Conference previously scheduled for June 28, 2019 and the HOM previously scheduled for July 9-12, 2019. The Board will further hold a status conference, after which the Board will issue an amended pretrial order with rescheduled dates and deadlines.

#### NOTICE OF STATUS CONFERENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board will conduct a status conference on Tuesday, July 9, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in the Board’s hearings room, 830 Punchbowl Street, Room 434, Honolulu, Hawai‘i.

All parties have the right to appear in person and represented by counsel or other authorized representative. Any party may appear telephonically by calling the Board at the telephone number below to make the necessary arrangements five days prior to the date of the Status Conference.

Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request by any party or representative with disabilities. For TTY, dial 711, ask for (808) 586-8616, the Hawai‘i Labor Relations Board, within five days prior to a Board proceeding. For any other accommodation, please call the Board at (808) 586-8616.

The parties should be aware that the Board is located in a secured State of Hawai'i building, and that any party, representative, counsel, or other person attending a proceeding will need to present a government-issued identification for entry.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, \_\_\_\_\_ June 12, 2019 \_\_\_\_\_.

HAWAII' I LABOR RELATIONS BOARD



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