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DISTRICT OF HAWAII

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

In the Matter of

Dexter K. Ka'iama,
Respondent

23-MC-00024-DKW-KJM

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

On January 11, 2023, this Court was advised that the Supreme Court of the State of Hawaii had issued an Order of Suspension of Dexter K. Ka'iama from the practice of law effectively immediately, pursuant to Rule 2.12A of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Hawaii (RSCH).


Accordingly, on January 13, 2023, pursuant to Local Rule 83.4(b), and in recognition that Respondent Ka'iama was admitted to practice before this Court on October 10, 1986, this Court issued an Order to Show Cause why Respondent Ka'iama should not be suspended from practicing in this Court. On January 27, 2023, Respondent Ka'iama filed a Response and Motion to Dismiss the Order to Show Cause Filed on January 13, 2023, ECF [2];.

Having considered the foregoing, and for good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Court suspends Respondent Ka'iama from the practice of law before this Court in accordance with Local Court Rule 83.4(d). Respondent's January 27, 2023 filing, urging this Court to "transform" itself from

an Article III to an Article II Court to administer the laws of the occupied Hawaiian Kingdom and to dismiss its Order to Show Cause because it lacks personal jurisdiction over a Respondent who resides in and practices before this Court, is frivolous.


Respondent Ka'iama shall not be reinstated to the practice of law before this Court until he provides proof to the Clerk of Court that he has been reinstated to the practice of law by the Supreme Court of the State of Hawaii. Respondent Ka'iama's membership status in the Court's attorney database will be forthwith amended to reflect his suspension.

Dated: February 8, 2023 at Honolulu, Hawaii.


DERRICK K. WATSON
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE


J. MICHAEL SEABRIGHT
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE


LESLIE E. KOBAYASHI
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE


JILL A. OTAKE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE