## IN RE THE EXTRAORDINARY EVENTS OF LANGE COUNTY OF LANGE COUNTY

## ORDER TO ALL STATE COURTS

In consideration of the extraordinary events of September 11, 2001, the consequent discontinuance of all commercial air transportation for a time thereafter, and in recognition that mail to the State of Hawai'i and between the islands that make up the State of Hawai'i (including mail sent through the United State Postal Service or by non-governmental delivery services) was delayed or halted and delivery may be adversely influenced for some time in the future,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, any rule to the contrary notwithstanding, that mailed items submitted to the courts of the State of Hawai'i for filing between September 10, 2001, and October 11, 2001, shall be deemed to have been filed as of the date the items are postmarked or otherwise clearly marked as having been submitted to a carrier. The Clerks shall make appropriate notations on the dockets for such items.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, September 17, 2001.

FOR THE COURT:

SUPREME COURT
LAW LIBRARY
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State of Hawaii

Chief Justice