

## Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, the Hawai'i State Bar Association (HSBA) unites and inspires Hawai'i's lawyers by promoting justice, serving the public, and improving the legal profession; and

**WHEREAS**, as part of the HSBA's effort, the Young Lawyers Division (YLD) of the HSBA is promoting this year's Law Week program; and

**WHEREAS**, the YLD is coordinating and conducting informational interviews on KHON2 News that will cover family law and custody; landlord-tenant; bankruptcy; estate planning and elder law; and general law and court procedures; and

**WHEREAS**, the YLD is offering free in-person and virtual legal clinics to the public on a wide variety of topics; and

**WHEREAS**, these clinics will provide pro bono legal services to the community by providing free legal information and referrals to other nonprofit legal organizations and government and community services as appropriate; and

**WHEREAS**, volunteer lawyers will be at these clinics to help educate the public about various areas of the law and share free legal information with those who attend; and

WHEREAS, providing these free services has become even more critical during the COVID-19 pandemic;

THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim June 20-26, 2022 as

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in Hawai'i and ask the people of the Aloha State to join me in recognizing the HSBA and its YLD for their commitment to improving the legal profession and highlighting the important role of attorneys, judges, and other legal professionals in our community, and in encouraging our residents to attend their free legal clinics and learn about the different areas of the law.

Done at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i this thirteenth day of June 2022.

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i