

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of:)	CEASE AND DESIST ORDER
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Firefighter's Emergency Fund, Inc.)	
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CEASE AND DESIST ORDER

TO:

Ms. Mary Jean Castillo
 President
 Firefighter's Emergency Fund, Inc.
 1330 A. Moanalulani Place
 Honolulu, Hawaii 96819

and

Ms. Mary Jean Castillo
 Registered Agent
 Firefighter's Emergency Fund, Inc.
 1330 A Moanalulani Place
 Honolulu, Hawaii 96819

The Attorney General, State of Hawaii, in accordance with sections 28-2.5, 467B-9.7(a), and 467B-17, Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS"), having conducted an investigation now issues this Cease and Desist Order.

The Attorney General has found that Firefighter's Emergency Fund, Inc. ("**Fund**"), and/or its agents, employees, or authorized representatives, have violated the provisions of chapter 467B, HRS, and engaged in prohibited practices in the following respects, among others: (1) filed a materially false registration statement; (2) aided and abetting another person in acting as a professional solicitor for the **Fund** without complying with registration, bonding and contracting requirements; and (3) failed to file annual financial reports as required by registered charitable organizations.


The Attorney General hereby orders the Fund, its agents, employees, and authorized representatives to cease and desist from soliciting contributions in the State of Hawaii. Pursuant to sections 467B-9.7 and 467B-17, HRS, the Fund may also be subject to other remedial and/or administrative actions.

The **Fund** may request an administrative hearing to review this Cease and Desist Order if done in writing and made within 10 days after the **Fund** has been served with this Order. The request for a hearing shall be sent to the Department of the Attorney General,

Tax & Charities Division, 425 Queen Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813.

THIS ORDER SHALL TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY ON THIS 24th DAY OF APRIL 2018.

BY ORDER:



RUSSELL A. SUZUKI
Attorney General