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**JAMES H. PFLUEGER JAILED FOR SEVEN MONTHS**

HONOLULU – Attorney General David M. Louie announced today that Fifth Circuit Judge Randal G.B. Valenciano sentenced James H. Pflueger (88) to seven months in jail after Pflueger pled no contest to the charge of Reckless Endangering in the First Degree, a class C felony. Pflueger was immediately taken into custody by sheriff's deputies to begin his jail sentence.

“Today, justice has been done”, said Attorney General Louie. “The decision by Judge Valenciano brings to a close the State’s criminal proceedings against Pflueger and his company, Pacific 808 Properties, LP.”

In the plea agreement between the State and Pflueger and his company, Pflueger agreed to five years probation with the understanding that the court could impose any penalty consistent with a class C felony, including a term of imprisonment of up to one year and a \$10,000 fine. Pacific 808 Properties agreed to a \$50,000 fine for each of the seven manslaughter counts against the company. After consideration of the oral and written sentencing arguments of the parties, Judge Valenciano sentenced Pflueger to five years probation with jail time of seven months as a condition of probation. Judge Valenciano also reduced the fines against Pacific 808 Properties to \$1,000 per count.

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