December 27, 2021

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi
President and Members of the Senate
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 409
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki
Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives
Thirty-First State Legislature
State Capitol, Room 431
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

For your information and consideration, I am transmitting a copy of the Department of the Attorney General’s Annual Report on the Number of Pen Register Orders and Orders for Trap and Trace Devices Applied for by Law Enforcement Agencies of the State, as required by section 803-47(c), Hawaii Revised Statutes. In accordance with section 93-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, I am also informing you that the report may be viewed electronically at http://ag.hawaii.gov/publications/reports/reports-to-the-legislature/.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call me at 586-1500.

Respectfully,

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REPORT ON THE NUMBER OF PEN REGISTER ORDERS AND ORDERS FOR TRAP AND TRACE DEVICES APPLIED FOR BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES OF THE STATE

Pursuant to Section 803-47(c), Hawaii Revised Statutes

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Section 803-47(c), Hawaii Revised Statutes, requires that "[t]he attorney general, at least twenty days prior to the convening of each regular session, shall annually report to the legislature on the number of pen register orders and orders for trap and trace devices applied for by law enforcement agencies of the State."

From December 15, 2020, to the date of this report, there were sixteen pen register orders applied for and granted, and one trap and trace device order applied for and granted. Additionally, there was one trap and trace device extension order applied for and granted. These orders were sought by the Maui County Police Department.