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HAWAII SOLICITOR GENERAL KIMBERLY TSUMOTO GUIDRY NOMINATED TO INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS

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HONOLULU, HI – Governor Josh Green, M.D. nominated Hawai'i Solicitor General Kimberly Tsumoto Guidry to a seat on the Hawai'i Intermediate Court of Appeals (ICA).

Guidry has served in the Department of the Attorney General for over twenty years and during that time has personally handled dozens of civil and criminal appeals. Appointed the Solicitor General in 2019, Guidry is the leader of the Department's Appellate Division, which is primarily tasked with arguing appeals of statewide significance, and has oversight authority over all appeals handled by the Department of the Attorney General.

Guidry was the Department's Employee of the Year in 2015 and, as Solicitor General, was the leader of the Appellate Division, which won the Department's Team of the Year award in 2021.

"I and the whole Department are thrilled for Kim and are so happy that she is being recognized for everything that she has accomplished," says Attorney General Anne Lopez. "A fair-minded jurist and a wonderful person, I am looking forward to seeing the next phase of her legal career, as an appellate judge."

"I am deeply honored to be nominated by Governor Green to this ICA judicial office," Solicitor General Guidry says. "I look forward to the senate confirmation process, and to serving the State Judiciary honorably, enthusiastically, and well."

Solicitor General Guidry's nomination is subject to confirmation by the Hawai'i Senate.

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