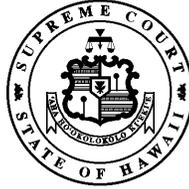


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PRESS RELEASE

HONOLULU, HAWAI'I - On December 15, 2022, the Hawai'i Supreme Court immediately and indefinitely suspended from the practice of law, Honolulu Attorney Moanike'ala Ruth Crowell for her failure to cooperate with this Office of Disciplinary Counsel in the investigation of multiple complaints of misconduct.

As this suspension is effective immediately, Crowell shall not accept any new or further retainers or engage as attorney for anyone in any new or ongoing case or legal matter of any nature. Crowell is required to promptly notify all of her clients, and any attorneys for any adverse party in any pending litigation, of her suspension and consequent inability to act as an attorney. She is also required to surrender to all clients all papers and property to which the clients are entitled and return any advance payments of fees that have not yet been earned.

Ms. Crowell was admitted to the Hawai'i bar in 2010, and a graduate of the William S. Richardson School of Law. If there are any questions, please contact me at (808) 469-4026.

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