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January Monthly Meeting

DATE: Friday, January 29, 1988

TIME: 12:00 Noon - 1:30 p.m.

PLACE: Pacific Club
1451 Queen Emma Street

KEYNOTE Cheryl Vasconcellos, Executive Director,

SPEAKER: Hawaii Planned Parenthood

The HWL Board of Directors invites you to attend HWL's Seventh Annual Awards and Installation Luncheon on Friday, January 29, 1988 from 12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m. at the Pacific Club (free parking is available). The luncheon speaker will be Cheryl Vasconcellos, Executive Director of Hawaii Planned Parenthood.

HWL's 1988 officers and directors will assume office at the luncheon. In addition, the Outstanding Woman Lawyer of the Year and Distinguished Service Awards will be presented to two deserving individuals.

The cost of the luncheon is \$17.00 per person. Please mail in your reservation by January 25, 1988 in order to assist us in providing a guaranteed count to the Pacific Club. For more information, call Cori Lau at 536-6922 or Beadie Dawson at 548-8936.

DETACH AND MAIL to HAWAII WOMEN LAWYERS, P. O. Box 2072, Honolulu, Hawaii 96805, by January 25, 1988.

YES, I will attend the 1988 Annual Awards and Installation Luncheon at the Pacific Club on January 29, 1988.

Name(s) _____

Business Telephone _____

Check enclosed in amount of \$ _____ (\$17.00 per person)

Recap of December Monthly Meeting

HWL thanks all of you who braved the stormy weather to attend HWL's December open house. Many helpful suggestions were discussed for possible monthly meeting topics. HWL welcomes any input you may have throughout the year for monthly meetings or special projects.

Election of HWL's 1988 Officers and Board of Directors

The Nominations Committee has proposed the following slate of candidates for election to the 1988 HWL Board of Directors.

To vote, please place a mark beside the name of the person for whom you are voting. There are blanks if you wish to write in a candidate's name. Please certify that you have voted only once and that you are a dues paying member of HWL. Dues will be accepted with your ballot.

Officer Candidates

President: Lorraine H. Akiba served as Vice President of HWL in 1987 and chaired the Legislative Committee in 1986 while a director. She is a partner at Cades Schutte Fleming & Wright.

Vice President: Corianne Lau is a 1985 graduate of Lewis & Clark C. Northwestern School of Law and is an associate with Alcantara & Frame. Cori served as HWL's Secretary in 1987.

Secretary: Susan E. Jaworowski served as a director in 1987 and has chaired HWL's Legislative and Conference Committees. A former associate at Reinwald, O'Connor & Marrack, Susan is currently employed at the Legislative Reference Bureau.

Treasurer: Michelle H. Tucker is a 1981 graduate of the William S. Richardson School of Law and has her own practice. Michelle is also a C.P.A. and provided timely information on the legal aspects of the Tax Reform Act at HWL's March 1987 monthly meeting.

Director Candidates

Cynthia Farias is the current chairperson of HWL's Legislative Committee. Cynthia is a 1986 graduate of the William S. Richardson School of Law and is an associate at Alcantara & Frame.

G. Hisae Ishii-Chang is an associate at Cades Schutte Fleming & Wright. Hisae graduated from the University of Santa Clara in 1982, clerked for the Honorable Jon Chinen at Bankruptcy Court and was a founding member of Na Loio No Na Kanaka.

Laurie T. S. Adamshick is a member of HWL's Legislative Committee. She is a graduate of the University of Dayton School of Law and is an associate at Rother Bybee Chang & Rulon.

Lissa H. Andrews is an associate at Ezra O'Connor Moon & Tam Lissa is a 1983 graduate of the William S. Richardson School of Law and has been active in the law school's alumni association.

Ellen Godbey Carson is a 1980 graduate of Harvard Law School and is currently employed at Paul, Johnson & Alston. Ellen worked for the U.S. Government in the area of civil rights and was in private practice for six years in Washington, D.C. Her practice concentrated on constitutional law, civil rights and plaintiffs' torts including sexual assaults and reparations for Americans of Japanese ancestry. Ellen was on the board of the ACLU in D.C. and headed the D.C. Rape Crisis Center. She is currently on the board of directors of the YWCA and Hale Kipa.

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I certify that I am a current dues-paying member of HWL and have only cast one ballot. Please return by January 25, 1988. Detach and mail to HWL, P. O. Box 2072, Honolulu, Hawaii 96805.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HWL Cosponsors People's Water Conference #4

The Fourth People's Water Conference will be held on January 16, 1988 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Hawaii State Capitol Auditorium. Admission is free.

Scientists, legislators, ecologists, legal scholars and water managers will share their expertise and respond to questions. If you're concerned about the quality and availability of water in Hawaii, be there!

Initiative Forum

The AAUW, League of Women Voters, Common Cause/Hawaii and Initiative Committee Hawaii, are sponsoring an initiative forum on January 23, 1988 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Hawaii State Capitol Auditorium. Admission is free.

Guest speakers include David Schmidt, editor of the National Initiative Referendum Newsletter and Martin Wolff, attorney.

Position Available

A full-time law clerk position is presently available at the Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board. This job primarily entails research and writing in the area of workers' compensation law. If interested, please send your resume' to Labor and Industrial Relations Appeals Board, 888 Mililani Street, Room 400, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813.

Personals

Best wishes to Joyce Y. Neeley in her new position as a partner with Dinman, Nakamura, Elisha, Nakatani & Neeley effective January 1, 1988.

If you have any announcements you wish to submit for the monthly newsletter, please contact Lorraine H. Akiba at 521-9200, Cades Schutte Fleming & Wright, 1000 Bishop Street, 12th Floor, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 by the 3rd of every month.

HWL MEMBERSHIP

If you have not done so already, please renew your membership. Dues are \$25, \$15 (Out of State Members), \$15 (New Admittees), \$5 (Students). Please remit with the following form to HWL, P.O. Box 2072, Honolulu, Hawaii 96805:

Name _____ Business Address _____

Phone _____ Residence Address _____

Please indicate the committees, if any, on which you would be willing to serve _____

Please note any topics or projects in which you are interested _____

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