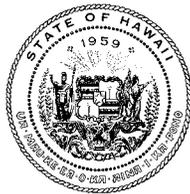


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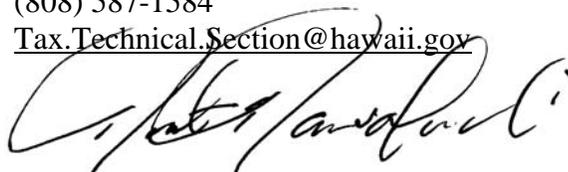
RE: Solicitation of Tax Guidance Initiatives from the Public

The Department of Taxation (Department) is soliciting input from taxpayers, tax practitioners, and the public on the tax policy guidance needs of the State. As the administrator of the Hawaii tax laws, the Department is very interested in receiving feedback from stakeholders on how Hawaii taxes are administered. Taxpayers, tax practitioners, and the public are invited to provide the Department with areas where additional guidance and tax policy information would be helpful or useful.

Interested persons are invited to submit comments or requests for Tax Information Releases, procedural explanations, designating issues for litigation, administrative rules projects, announcements, clarifications of instructions and forms, and any other tax guidance deemed relevant.

Comments, suggested policy guidance, or proposed drafts of Tax Information Releases or administrative rules may be sent to the Rules Office contacts below—

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