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INFORMATIONAL VIDEO DESIGNED FOR LANDLORDS ON COMPLETING REVISED GENERAL EXCISE TAX RETURNS WILL AIR ON OLELO, CHANNEL 49, AND IS AVAILABLE ONLINE

HONOLULU - The State Department of Taxation has posted a 19-minute information video on its Website to help landlords complete the revised General Excise tax forms. The video will also air on Olelo, Channel 49, on the following dates and times:

  May 29, 2007, 8:30 p.m.
  June 5, 2007, 8:00 a.m.
  June 12, 2007, 8:00 a.m.
  June 19, 2007, 6:00 p.m.

The program will guide landlords through the process of completing the Form G-45, General Excise/Use Tax Return, in an easy to understand way, and will include information on filling out the new parts of Form G-45 related to the new ½% Oahu County Surcharge tax and reporting taxes by taxation district.

To view the video on the Department of Taxation’s website go to: www.hawaii.gov/tax and look on the right under County Surcharge Information.

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Taxpayers who have questions may call the Tax Department's customer call center at 587-4242 or toll free at 1-800-222-3229 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State holidays) through June 29, 2007. After June 29, 2007, call center hours will return to 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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