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## ON KAUA'I, BIG ISLAND, O'AHU AND MAUI

HONOLULU—The Department of Taxation will hold a series of year-end workshops around the state to provide tax professionals and the public with updates on tax legislation, changes to tax forms and current department initiatives to improve and streamline tax collections and overall department operations.

The first workshop will be held on Kaua`i on Monday, November 23. Workshops on Maui and O`ahu, and in Kona and Hilo, will be held within the following weeks (see schedule on the following page). All workshops begin at 8:30 a.m. and end at 12:30 p.m.

The cost for the workshop is \$80 for those who register at least two weeks in advance; there is a \$5 fee for later registrations. The cost includes continental breakfast and all workshop materials. The course provides four hours of Continuing Professional Education credit. The workshop materials may be purchased separately for \$25 each.

Registration forms are available at <a href="www.hawaii.gov/tax">www.hawaii.gov/tax</a>. For more information, contact the Director's Office at 808-587-1540, or by email at <a href="mailto:Tax.Directors.Office@hawaii.gov">Tax.Directors.Office@hawaii.gov</a>.

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## YEAR-END WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

KAUA'I: Monday, November 23, 8:00 a.m. registration; KCC

OCET - Multipurpose Room, 3-1901 Kaumuali'i Highway, Lihu'e

Contact Kaua'i Community college, 808-245-8318

MAUI: Monday, November 30, 8:00 a.m. registration; Maui Beach Hotel,

Elleair Rainbow Room, 170 Ka`ahumanu Avenue, Kahului

Contact Maui Community College, 808-984-3231

O'AHU: Tuesday, December 1, 8:00 a.m. registration; Ala Moana Hotel, Hibiscus

Ballroom, 410 Atkinson Drive, Honolulu

Contact Kapi'olani Community College, 808-734-9211

KONA: Monday, December 7, 8:00 a.m. registration; Royal Kona Resort,

Discovery Room, 75-5852 Ali`i Drive, Kailua-Kona Contact Hawai`i Community College, 808-974-7531

HILO: Tuesday, December 8, 8:00 a.m. registration; Hilo Hawaiian Hotel –

Moku'ola 1, 71 Banyan Drive, Hilo

Contact Hawai'i Community College, 808-974-7531

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