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Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the District Court of the First Circuit, State of Hawaii, Judicial Nominee JAMES C. MCWHINNIE, for a term to expire in six years.

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Comments: I am writing to express my strong support for the confirmation of James C. McWhinnie for the position of District Court Judge. I have known Jim McWhinnie for less than a year, however, ever since joining the Damon Key firm as a new associate, Jim has been very patient and knowledgeable whenever I needed his help or guidance. I may have not known Jim for the that long, but I do know he is a very well respected attorney in the community and at our firm. I believe his vast wealth of experience and approachable demeanor make him a great fit for the judiciary and the State of Hawaii. Thank you, Ikaika Jobe

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From: ali_sekban
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Dear Sir/Madam

I first met Jim over twenty years ago and he has become one of my closest friends and therefore I am biased, however, also please consider that we play golf together every weekend. Not to dissimilar to being stuck on a lifeboat with someone, golf has provided me with an insight into Jim as a person. If I had only one word to describe him I would use the word "fair". A word which coincidentally or not seems the mark of judge. I could go on with the superlatives or detail his family and fathering qualities but the resounding note throughout would be the above.

Thank you for allowing me my two cents.

Sincerely

Mehmet Ali Sekban