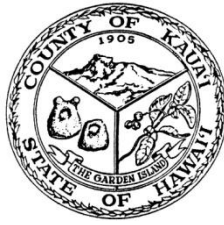


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Dear Glenn and Ken:

Mahalo for your letter dated January 14, 2014, regarding Section 78-9 of the Hawai'i Revised Statutes.

Please be advised the matter in question is being researched. We will respond to your questions once the research has been concluded.

Best regards,

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Director of Communications

C: Bernard P. Carvalho, Jr., Mayor