



Proclamation
Presented to
The Royal Order of Kamehameha I

WHEREAS, the beauty of our island state lies within the people who embrace our diverse culture and history; and

WHEREAS, a hallmark of both culture and history in the Hawaiian Islands was the establishment of the Royal Order of Kamehameha I; and

WHEREAS, The Royal Order of Kamehameha I was established on April 11, 1865 by His Majesty King Kamehameha V Lot Kapuaiwa Kalanikapuapaikalaninui Aliiolani Kalanimakua in honor of his grandfather Kamehameha I; and

WHEREAS, the Royal Order of Kamehameha I is comprised of men of Hawaiian descent, of good moral character, of sound bodily health who cultivate the cardinal principles of friendship, charity and benevolence, aid widows and orphans and improve the social and moral conditions of its members; and

WHEREAS, the Royal Order of Kamehameha I also provides scholarship assistance, preserves and perpetuates the ancient culture, customs and traditions of Hawai'i, uplifts the Hawaiian people, infuses the spirit of patriotism, loyalty, helpfulness and kindness among its members, advances the interest of its members in every rightful cause, and encourages and develops leadership skills; and

WHEREAS, April 11, 2015 commemorates the 150th Anniversary of the Royal Order of Kamehameha I in tribute to their achievements, which began during the Kingdom of Hawai'i and continues today;

THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, and I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim April 11, 2015 as

**“THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE ROYAL ORDER OF KAMEHAMEHA I”**

in Hawai'i, and ask all citizens of the Aloha State to recognize and celebrate our state's diverse culture and history.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, on this ninth day of April 2015.

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

SHAN S. TSUTSUI
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i