

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

JUL 29 2008

FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

at 3 o'clock and 45 min. P M. *SK*  
SUE BEITIA, CLERK

IN THE MATTER OF	)	ORDER REGARDING
Electronic Device Policy for	)	ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN THE
Attorneys of Record to Be Permitted	)	MAGISTRATE JUDGES'
to Bring Laptops, Cellular	)	COURTROOMS OR CHAMBERS
Telephones, PDAs, and other	)	
Electronic Devices to Assist Them	)	
With a Court Matter Before the	)	
Magistrate Judges	)	
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ORDER REGARDING ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN THE  
MAGISTRATE JUDGES' COURTROOMS OR CHAMBERS

Pursuant to the General Order issued by Chief Judge Helen Gillmor on November 6, 2008, all attorneys of record are authorized to bring into the courthouse laptops, cell phones, and PDAs for the sole purpose of using the devices in connection with case-related proceedings in the Magistrate Judges' courtrooms or chambers. Any attorney of record bringing an electronic device into the courthouse pursuant to this order shall inform the court security officers at the entrance to the courthouse of the time of the attorney's proceedings and the name of the case. Persons other than attorneys of record (including paralegals or other legal staff, parties, and witnesses) are not authorized by this order to bring electronic devices into the courthouse.

An attorney of record in a case before the Magistrate Judges is not authorized by this order to bring any electronic device into the courthouse when entering the courthouse for a matter other than a hearing before the Magistrate Judges or a case-related conference with the Magistrate Judges.

No device may disrupt any court proceedings. For example, cell phones are always to be turned off upon entering the courthouse and turned on only with permission of court. In no event may any camera or audio/video equipment be used in the Magistrate Judges' courtrooms or chambers to photograph or to record on video or audio any proceedings. Anyone violating this order will be subject to sanctions.

The Magistrate Judges may modify this order at their discretion in specific cases or for specific proceedings.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, July 29, 2009.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Kurren', written over a horizontal line.

**BARRY M. KURREN**  
United States Magistrate Judge

*Leslie E. Kobayashi*

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LESLIE E. KOBAYASHI  
United States Magistrate Judge

*Kevin S.C. Chang*

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KEVIN S.C. CHANG  
United States Magistrate Judge

IN THE MATTER OF Electronic Device Policy for Attorneys of Record to Be Permitted to Bring Laptops, Cellular Telephones, PDAs, and other Electronic Devices to Assist Them With a Court Matter Before the Magistrate Judges;  
ORDER REGARDING ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN THE MAGISTRATE JUDGES' COURTROOMS AND CHAMBERS.