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## **SHERIFF RECRUITMENT OPENS STATEWIDE**

HONOLULU – The Department of Public Safety (PSD) is looking for a few good men and women to join the State Sheriff Division.

Recruitment is now open on the Department of Human Resources and Development (DHRD) website for a three-week period from Monday, May 4, until Sunday, May 24. PSD is seeking applicants willing to serve on every island.

“This recruitment will help the department fill several positions,” said Sheriff Robin Nagamine. “We are looking for people who possess traits and characteristics like physical and mental fitness, alertness, tact, integrity, honesty, good judgement and the ability to deal effectively with the public.”

To qualify, the applicant must be a high school graduate; be able to demonstrate knowledge of English grammar, spelling and punctuation; have the ability to read and comprehend complex written material; write a clear, factual report; and have at least two years of work experience which demonstrates these abilities.

After the initial recruitment, chosen applicants will be tested on physical fitness (pushups, sit-ups and a 1.5-mile run) and have to complete a written test to gauge their reading, writing and comprehension skills. They will also take a pre-employment law enforcement assessment. After successful completion of the physical ability test, written test and the pre-employment assessment, the applicant may be scheduled for an interview with the department.

Individuals who pass the testing and are selected from the recruitment will participate in a 5-month Sheriff Recruit Class, which will consist of classroom and on-the-job training in the laws, rules, regulations, principles, practices, procedures and techniques of law enforcement; the operation of firearms and other equipment; as well as physical conditioning.

For more information on how to become a Deputy Sheriff and to fill out an application go to the links below.

Hawaii Island:

<http://agency.governmentjobs.com/hawaii/default.cfm?action=jobbulletin&JobID=1126059>

Kauai:

<http://agency.governmentjobs.com/hawaii/default.cfm?action=jobbulletin&JobID=1126060>

Maui:

<http://agency.governmentjobs.com/hawaii/default.cfm?action=jobbulletin&JobID=1126061>

Oahu:

<http://agency.governmentjobs.com/hawaii/default.cfm?action=jobbulletin&JobID=1126898>

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