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FINANCE MEMORANDUM

MEMO NO. 15-08

TO: All Department Heads  
FROM: Wesley K. Machida  
Director of Finance  
SUBJECT: Interim Fringe Benefit Rates for FY 16

Act 163, SLH 2011 (codified as Section 88-122, HRS), establishes the pension accumulation contribution rate for FY 16 at 25.0% for police officers, firefighters, and corrections officers, and 17.0% for all other employees. The interim rate is being transmitted to you for your information and records. Until new fringe benefit rates are approved by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, the following interim fringe benefit rates for FY 16 will be in effect:

	<u>Interim FY 15 Rate</u>	<u>Interim FY 16 Rate</u>
Pension Accumulation	16.50%	17.00%
Pension Administration	.00%	.00%
Retiree Health Insurance	10.12%	10.12%
Employees' Health Fund	6.81%	6.81%
Workers' Compensation	1.16%	1.16%
Unemployment Compensation	.25%	.25%
Social Security	6.20%	6.20%
Medicare	<u>1.45%</u>	<u>1.45%</u>
Composite Rate	42.49%	42.99%

Should you have any questions or require further information, please contact me, or your staff may contact Mr. Neal Miyahira, Administrator of this department's Budget, Program Planning and Management Division, at 586-1530.