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SPECIAL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING
OF THE
HAWAI'I TOURISM AUTHORITY

VIRTUAL MEETING

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2026, AT 9:30 A.M.

Meeting will be live streaming via Zoom

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AGENDA

1. **Call to Order**

2. **Roll Call to Announce Name of Participating Board Members and to Identify Who Else is Present with Board Member if Location is Nonpublic**

3. **Opening Protocol**

4. **Discussion and Action on Requesting a Tourism Emergency Declaration from the Governor Pursuant to HRS §201B-9(a)**

5. **Adjournment**

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