CABLE DIVISION COMMERCE AND COMMERCE AFFAIRS



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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Re:

Mr. Glen Chock
Acting Administrator
Cable Television Division
Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs
King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, Room 101
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Notice of Intent to Seek Renewal of Time Warner Entertainment Company, L.P. dba Oceanic Time Warner Cable's Franchises for

Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui

Dear Mr. Chock:

Time Warner Entertainment Company, L.P. dba Oceanic Time Warner Cable ("Oceanic") is pleased to have provided cable television service to the communities in Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui for approximately the last twelve and sixteen years, respectively. During that time, Oceanic has been responsive to the cable television-related needs and interests of its customers in those communities, has upgraded its systems, and has continued to provide quality and innovative services to its customers. Oceanic now looks forward to continuing service to it customers in Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui under the terms of the Hawaii Cable Communications System Law, Haw. Rev. Stat. Chapter 440G and Haw. Admin. R. Title 16, Chapter 133.

Oceanic's franchises granted by the State of Hawaii to provide cable television service in Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui will both expire on December 31, 2013. At that point, Oceanic intends to continue providing service in those areas by applying for renewed franchises. As you know, Oceanic currently has franchises for its Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui systems, which were duly issued and extended by the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs pursuant to Haw. Rev. Stat. Chapter 440G and applicable decisions and orders. Oceanic will follow the procedures specified by Haw. Rev. Stat. Chapter 440G and Haw. Admin R. Title 16, Chapter 133 to obtain renewed franchises for

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those communities so that it may continue to have authority to operate in the areas covered by the current franchises.

Under federal law, Oceanic normally would preserve the rights granted to cable operators during a local franchise renewal process by Section 626 of the Cable Act, 47 U.S.C. § 546. Although it may no longer be necessary to do so in view of the franchising renewal process set forth in the Hawaii Cable Communications System Law and applicable administrative rules, Oceanic hereby preserves all rights to the formal renewal process established by Section 626 of the Cable Act in the event that appropriate relief may not be obtained under state law.

Accordingly, Oceanic hereby gives notice that it seeks renewal of its two cable television franchises referenced above pursuant to the provisions of 47 U.S.C. 546 and, for the purposes of 47 U.S.C. 546(a), requests commencement of renewal proceedings for both franchises. Oceanic fully intends to avail itself of the opportunity to obtain the right to serve Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui under its franchises, and to that end will comply with the application process set out in the Act.

Finally, as noted above, Oceanic's franchises for its Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui systems will both expire on December 31, 2013. Oceanic respectfully requests that the Division consider consolidating the renewal proceedings for the Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina / West Maui franchises, and also issue a single consolidated renewal franchise encompassing both systems.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned should you have any questions regarding the foregoing. We look forward to working with the Cable Television Division of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs in the renewal process.

Very truly yours,

BRIAN A. KANG

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cc: Oceanic Time Warner Cable



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Re:

Notice of Intent to Seek Renewal of Time Warner Entertainment Company, L.P.'s dba Oceanic Time Warner Cable's Franchises for Maui County (excluding

Lahaina) and Lahaina/West Maui

Dear Mr. Kang:

This letter acknowledges receipt of Time Warner Entertainment Company, L.P., dba Oceanic Time Warner Cable ("Oceanic") June 2, 2011 Notice of Intent to Seek Renewal of its Maui County (excluding Lahaina) and Lahaina/West Maui Franchises. Both the Maui County and Lahaina franchises expire on December 31, 2013 pursuant to Decision and Orders No. 245 and 317.

The Department also acknowledges Oceanic's request that the Department consolidating the renewal proceedings for the Maui County and Lahaina franchises and issue a single consolidated franchise order that encompasses both systems in Maui County. Please provide the Department with support for Oceanic's request to consolidate the renewal proceedings for both franchises.

The Department will take steps to initiate commencement of the franchise renewal process and will be contacting you in the near future. If you have any questions on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at 586-2620. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Glen Chock

Acting Cable Administrator

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