

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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Instituting a Proceeding on)
Communications, Including an)
Investigation of the)
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of the State of Hawaii.)
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ORDER NO. 19704

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Chief Clerk of the Commission

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Commission, State of Hawaii.

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ORDER

I.

By Order No. 19446, filed on July 3, 2002, the commission required, among other things, VERIZON HAWAII INC. (Verizon Hawaii) and interested parties to file: (1) stipulated maximum pole rates for the year 2001, and stipulated maximum pole and duct rates for the year 2002, pursuant to the parameters established in Order No. 19446 (collectively, stipulated pole and duct rates); or (2) a status report on their efforts, if unable to stipulate to these rates, within 90 days of the date of order. Pursuant to the commission's directive, by letter, filed on October 1, 2002, Verizon Hawaii informed the commission that the parties to Docket No. 7702¹ have agreed to stipulate to pole

¹The parties to this docket are Verizon Hawaii; the DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY; the UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND ALL OTHER FEDERAL EXECUTIVE AGENCIES; AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF HAWAII, INC.; SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P.; TIME WARNER TELECOM OF HAWAII, L.P., dba OCEANIC COMMUNICATIONS; and PACIFIC LIGHTNET, INC.

and duct rates as required by the commission, and attached the stipulated pole and duct rates to its October 1, 2002 letter.

Upon review, the commission finds that the stipulated pole and duct rates, filed on October 1, 2002, comply with Order No. 19446. Accordingly, the commission concludes that these pole and duct rates, attached as Exhibit A to this order, should be approved.

II.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS that the stipulated pole and duct rates, filed on October 1, 2002, and attached as Exhibit A to this order, are approved.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 11th day of October, 2002.

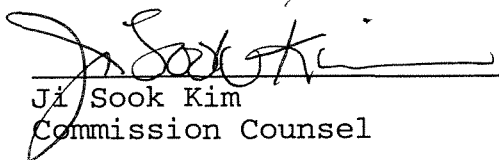
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By 
Wayne H. Kimura, Chairman

By 
Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By _____ (RECUSED)
Gregg J. Kinkley, Commissioner


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Exhibit A

DOCKET NO. 7702
STIPULATED POLE AND DUCT RATES

	<u>Urbanized Pole Rate¹</u>	<u>Non-Urbanized Pole Rate²</u>
2001	\$12.15	\$14.17
2002	14.26	18.39

Duct Rate (per Subduct)

2002 \$0.30

¹ The urbanized areas, by central office, are: Aina Haina, Alakea, Aliamanu, Kaimuki, Kakaako, Kalihi, Koko Head, Manoa, Moanalua, Punahou, Puuloa, Puunui and Waikiki. Aliamanu is not a central office but is included since Verizon has poles in the residential and military areas. The urbanized rates assume five attachers.

² The non-urbanized areas are all areas that are not urbanized with rates that assume three attachers.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 19704 upon the following parties, by causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

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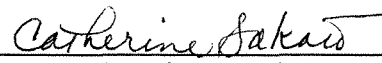
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