

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
T-N-T EQUIPMENT RENTAL INC.)
For Extension of Motor Carrier)
Certificate.)
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DOCKET NO. 02-0208

DECISION AND ORDER NO. 19791

Filed Nov. 20, 2002
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Chief Clerk of the Commission

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I.

T-N-T EQUIPMENT RENTAL INC. (Applicant) is a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the dump truck classification. By an application filed on August 5, 2002, Applicant seeks commission approval to extend its authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity number 2119-C (Certificate No. 2119-C) to include the general commodities classification. Applicant represents that if its authority is extended as requested, it can meet customer demand for general commodities hauling on the island of Oahu.

Applicant served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, which consists of carriers that may be affected by Applicant's proposed service, and on the Division of Consumer Advocacy, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (Consumer Advocate). The Consumer Advocate did not participate in this proceeding, and no persons moved to intervene in this docket.

II.

Based upon our review of the record, we find that Applicant is fit, willing, and able to properly perform the proposed service, and to conform to HRS chapter 271 and the requirements and rules of the commission. We also find that the proposed service is required by the present and future public convenience and necessity. Accordingly, we conclude that Applicant's request for operating authority, as set forth in the application, should be granted.

III.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Applicant is granted a certificate to operate as a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the general commodities and dump truck classifications.

2. Applicant shall comply with all of the commission's requirements for common carriers by motor vehicle including, but not limited to, filing a lawful tariff, filing the appropriate insurance documents, registering and marking the appropriate motor vehicles, and complying with the safety requirements of the Motor Vehicle Safety Office, Department of Transportation, State of Hawaii.

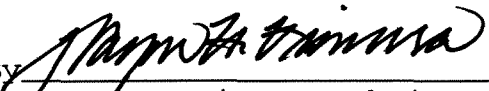
3. Applicant shall comply with the foregoing requirements within 120 days after service of this decision and order. Failure to comply within the time specified constitutes cause for this commission to void this decision and order.

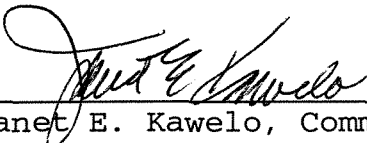
4. Applicant shall not commence operations under this decision and order until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

5. Applicant shall surrender Certificate No. 2119-C, and an amended certificate reflecting the operating authority granted by this decision and order shall be issued.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 20th day of November, 2002.

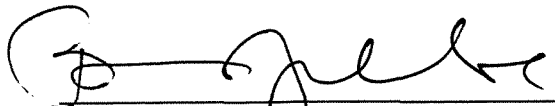
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By 
Wayne H. Kimura, Chairman

By 
Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

By _____ (RECUSED)
Gregg J. Kinkley, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Benedyne S. Stone
Commission Counsel

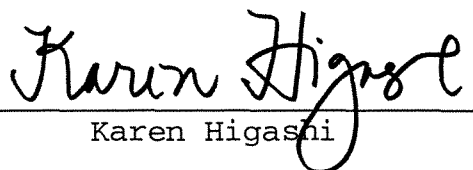
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Decision and Order No. 19791 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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DATED: November 20, 2002