

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.)
For Approval to Commit Funds in)
Excess of \$500,000 for Item)
P0000454, Installation of the)
Kahe 6 Fan Enclosure.)

DOCKET NO. 04-0051

ORDER NO. 21030

RECEIVED
2004 JUN -7 A 8:51
DIV. OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY
DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND
CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF HAWAII

Filed June 4, 2004
At 3:00 o'clock P.M.

Karen Higashi
Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy
KAREN HIGASHI
Chief Clerk, Public Utilities
Commission, State of Hawaii.

K. Higashi

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.) Docket No. 04-0051
For Approval to Commit Funds in) Order No. 21030
Excess of \$500,000 for Item)
P0000454, Installation of the)
Kahe 6 Fan Enclosure.)
_____)

ORDER

I.

Request to Extend Time to Render Decision

HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC. ("HECO") filed an application on March 9, 2004, revised on May 18, 2004, requesting commission approval to commit approximately \$695,715 for Item P0000454, Installation of the Kahe 6 Fan Enclosure ("Proposed Project"). HECO's request is made pursuant to paragraph 2.3.g.2 of the commission's General Order No. 7, Standards for Electric Utility Service in the State of Hawaii ("G.O. No. 7").

HECO served copies of the application on the DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS ("Consumer Advocate"). On April 27, 2004, the Consumer Advocate submitted information requests ("IRs") to HECO.

By letter filed with the commission on June 2, 2004, HECO requests an extension of the G.O. No. 7 paragraph 2.3.g.2 requirement that the commission "render a decision within 90 days of filing by the utility" ("90-day Period"), from June 4, 2004 to

August 6, 2004.¹ HECO makes this request for additional time to allow it to respond to the Consumer Advocate's IRs, for the Consumer Advocate to submit its statement of position, and for the commission to render a final decision and order in this proceeding.

We find good cause to grant HECO's request for an extension of the 90-day Period. The commission concludes that the 90-day Period should be extended, from June 4, 2004, to August 6, 2004.

II.

Order

THE COMMISSION ORDERS that HECO's request for an extension of the 90-day Period, from June 4, 2004, to August 6, 2004, is approved.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 4th day of June, 2004.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlito P. Caliboso
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By Wayne H. Kimura
Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Benedyne S. Stone
Benedyne S. Stone
Commission Counsel
04-0051.cs

By Janet E. Kawelo
Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

¹In a telephone call on June 3, 2004, the Consumer Advocate indicated to commission staff that it did not object to an extension of the 90-day Period.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 21030 upon the following parties, by causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS
DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY
P. O. Box 541
Honolulu, HI 96809

WILLIAM A. BONNET
VICE PRESIDENT, GOVERNMENT & COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.
P. O. Box 2750
Honolulu, HI 96840-0001

PATSY NANBU
DIRECTOR, REGULATORY AFFAIRS
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.
P. O. Box 2750
Honolulu, HI 96840-0001



Karen Higashi

DATED: June 4, 2004