BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)

LANCE NOBUO NISHIKI, dba ENVISAGE CONCEPT

DOCKET NO. 04-0142

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DECISION AND ORDER NO. 21308

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I.

Application to Transfer and Extend Common Carrier Authority

LANCE NOBUO NISHIKI, dba ENVISAGE CONCEPT ("Transferor"), is the holder of certificate of public convenience and necessity number 1756-C ("Certificate No. 1756-C"). Certificate No. 1756-C authorizes the transportation of passengers by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the 1-to-7 passenger classification. On June 7, 2004, Transferor filed an application seeking commission approval to transfer Certificate No. 1756-C to PREMIER LIMOUSINE SERVICE LLC ("Transferee") and to extend the operating authority under Certificate No. 1756-C to include the 8-to-25 passenger classification. Transferee represents that if the authority is extended as requested, it can meet customer demand for motor vehicles with a seating capacity of 8-to-25 passengers.

Transferor served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, and the Hawaii State Certified Common Carriers Association, Inc., which consist of carriers that may be affected by the proposed transfer, and on the Division of Consumer Advocacy, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Consumer Advocate"). By a statement filed on June 9, 2004, the Consumer Advocate indicated that it will not participate in this proceeding. No persons moved to intervene in this docket.

II.

Findings and Conclusions

Upon review of Transferor's application, the commission finds that Transferee is fit, willing, and able to perform the services presently performed by Transferor, and that the proposed transfer of Certificate No. 1756-C is just and reasonable and will be consistent with the public interest. Accordingly, the commission concludes that the proposed transfer is in accordance with Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-18, and should, therefore, be approved.

The commission also finds that the proposed expansion of authority is required by the present and future public convenience and necessity and that Transferee 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. Accordingly, we conclude that the request for an expansion of authority should be granted.

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III.

<u>Orders</u>

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

Transferor's application to transfer Certificate
No. 1756-C to Transferee is approved.

2. The request to extend the authority under Certificate No. 1756-C is approved. Transferee is authorized to operate as a common carrier of passengers over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the 1-to-7 and 8-to-25 passenger classifications.

3. Transferee 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, and paying a fee of \$20 for motor carrier gross revenues.

4. Transferor shall surrender Certificate No. 1756-C, and an amended certificate reflecting the authority granted by this decision and order shall be issued to the Transferee.

5. Transferor shall file with the commission his annual financial report for the period of operation from January 1, 2004, to the effective date of this decision and order, and shall pay the associated motor carrier gross revenue fee.

6. Transferor and Transferee shall comply with the requirements set forth herein within one hundred and twenty (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.

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7. Transferee shall not commence operations until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii ____

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Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

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Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

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Janet E. Kawelo, 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 <u>Decision and Order No.</u> 21308 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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