

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 )  
MICHAEL D. LEE, dba )  
EQUIPMENT TRANSPORT SERVICE )  
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To Sell, Lease, Assign, Mortgage or )  
Otherwise Dispose of, or Encumber )  
The Whole or Any Part of Its )  
Property, Certificate, or Permit. )  
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DOCKET NO. 2006-0489

DECISION AND ORDER NO. 23337

Filed April 3, 2007  
At 11 o'clock A.M.

Karen Higashi  
Chief Clerk of the Commission

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CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE OF HAWAII

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By this Decision and Order, the commission approves the transfer of certificate of public convenience and necessity number 2083-C ("Certificate No. 2083-C") from MICHAEL D. LEE, dba EQUIPMENT TRANSPORT SERVICE ("Transferor"), to MDL, INC. dba EQUIPMENT TRANSPORT SERVICE ("Transferee"), subject to certain conditions, as described herein.

I.

Application to Transfer Common Carrier Authority

On December 21, 2006, Transferor filed an application seeking commission approval to transfer Certificate No. 2083-C to Transferee, pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-18. Under Certificate No. 2083-C, and pursuant to HRS § 271-12, Transferor is authorized to operate as a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the general commodities classification, excluding break bulk and delivery.

Transferor served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, which consists 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"). The Consumer Advocate did not participate in this proceeding, and 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. 2083-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 HRS § 271-18, and should, therefore, be approved.

## III.

### Orders

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Transferor's application to transfer Certificate No. 2083-C to Transferee is approved.

2. Transferee shall comply with all of the commission's requirements for common carriers by motor vehicle including, but not limited to, paying a fee of \$20 for motor carrier gross revenues.

3. Transferor shall file with the commission his annual financial report for the period of operation from January 1, 2007, to the effective date of this Decision and Order, and shall pay the associated motor carrier gross revenue fee.


4. Transferor shall file an annual financial report for the calendar year 2006, and pay the associated motor carrier gross revenue fee for the calendar year 2006 by April 30, 2007.

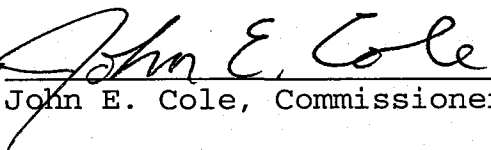
5. Transferor and Transferee shall comply with the foregoing requirements within one hundred and twenty (120) days after service of this Decision and Order. Failure to comply within the time specified constitutes cause for this commission to vacate this Decision and Order.

6. Transferee shall not commence operations under this Decision and Order until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

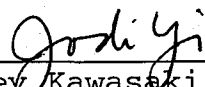
DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii APR - 3 2007.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By   
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By   
John E. Cole, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

*for*   
Stacey Kawasaki Djou  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

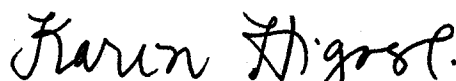
I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Decision and Order No. 23337 upon the following parties, by causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

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DATED: APR - 3 2007