BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
)
KUA'ANA TRUCKING, INC. ) Docket No. 2007-0414
) For a Motor Carrier Certificate or)
Permit. )

DECISION AND ORDER NO. 2413

Filed March 28, 2008
At 2:30 o'clock P.M.

Karen Higashl
Chief Clerk of the Commission

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

By this Decision and Order, the commission grants KUA’ANA TRUCKING, INC. ("Applicant") a certificate of public convenience and necessity ("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, subject to certain conditions, as described herein.

I.

Application for Common Carrier Authority

On December 19, 2007, Applicant filed an application requesting 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. The application was filed pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-12.

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.

Findings and Conclusions

Based upon our review of the record, the commission finds 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. The commission also finds that the proposed service is required by the present and future public convenience and necessity. Accordingly, the commission concludes that Applicant's request for operating authority, as set forth in the application, should be granted.

III.

Orders

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. Within one hundred and twenty (120) days after service of this Decision and Order, Applicant shall:
a. Complete and submit the enclosed insurance forms: (a) Uniform Motor Carrier Bodily Injury and Property Damage Certificate of Insurance (WC-3539), (b) Uniform Motor Carrier Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability Endorsement (WC-3538), (c) Motor Carrier Cargo Certificate of Insurance (MCB-8), and (d) Motor Carrier Cargo Insurance Endorsement (MCB-9). The forms should include the policy number and be completed and signed by Applicant’s insurance agent or company; or they will be rejected.¹

b. File a tariff in accordance with Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapter 6-63. As the application indicates that Applicant will be participating in the tariff published by the Western Motor Tariff Bureau, Inc. (“WMTB”), Applicant shall submit an executed Rate and Tariff Agreement or a tariff scope sheet confirming Applicant’s membership in the tariff bureau.²

c. Complete and submit the enclosed “Vehicle Inventory List” form. Applicant shall list all vehicles, including trailers, that it intends to use in the proposed operation. The vehicles utilized must be registered in the name of the corporation. If Applicant chooses to lease any vehicle, it is required to complete and submit a “Motor Vehicle Equipment Lease” form. The form is available on the commission’s website at www.hawaii.gov/budget/puc.

d. Submit a copy of the current Certificate of Registration or ownership document for all vehicles listed on the Vehicle Inventory List.

3. Applicant shall comply with the foregoing requirements within one hundred and twenty (120) days after

¹An explanation of the liability and cargo insurance coverage requirements is attached to this Decision and Order.

²WMTB may be contacted at 836-5874, or toll free at (866) 585-5874, for more information.

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service of this Decision and Order. Failure to comply within the
time specified may constitute cause for this commission to vacate
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.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii _____ MAR 28 2008_

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By John E. Cole, Commissioner

By Leslie H. Kondo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stacey Kawasaki Djou
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. 24113 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: Mar 28 2008