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October 29, 2021

2021/ED-15 (JML)

Ms. Mary Alice Evans, OPSD Director State of Hawaii Office of Planning and Sustainable Development Environmental Review Program 235 South Beretania Street, Room 702 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Ms. Evans:

SUBJECT:

Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement

Determination

Chapter 343, Hawaii Revised Statutes,

Title 11, Chapter 200, Hawaii Administrative Rules

Chapter 25, Revised Ordinances of Honolulu

Project:

Hilton Hawaiian Village - Village Master Plan Improvements

AMB Tower

Applicant:

Hilton Hawaiian Village Beach Resort & Spa

Park Ala Moana LLC

SMK. Inc.

Agent:

G70 (Jeffrey Overton)

Location:

2005 Kalia Road - Waikiki

1831, 1835 and 1841 Ala Moana Boulevard - Waikiki

Tax Map Keys: 2-6-009: 004, 005, 006, 007, 009, and 013

With this letter, the Department of Planning and Permitting determines that a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) is required, in accordance with Hawaii Administrative Rules Section 11-200.1-30(b).

We hereby transmit this SEIS determination for the Hilton Hawaiian Village – Village Master Plan Improvements AMB Tower, located at the subject site in Waikiki, on the island of Oahu, for publication in the next edition of "The Environmental Notice" on November 8, 2021.

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Enclosed, please find a completed publication form.

Should you have any questions, please contact Janet Meinke-Lau, of our staff, at (808) 768-8033, or j.meinkelau@honolulu.gov.

Very truly yours,

Dean Uchida

Director

Enclosures

cc: Tracy Camuso, G70

From: webmaster@hawaii.gov

To: <u>DBEDT OPSD Environmental Review Program</u>

Subject: New online submission for The Environmental Notice

Date: Friday, October 29, 2021 11:26:24 AM

Action Name

Hilton Hawaiian Village – Village Master Plan Improvements AMB Tower

Type of Document/Determination

Supplemental environmental impact statement (EIS) determination

HRS §343-5(a) Trigger(s)

• (5) Propose any use within the Waikīkī area of Oʻahu

Judicial district

Honolulu, Oʻahu

Tax Map Key(s) (TMK(s))

(1) 2-6-9: 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 13

Action type

Applicant

Other required permits and approvals

Numerous

Discretionary consent required

Planned Development-Resort Amendment/Major Modification; Waikīkī Special District Permit (Major)

Approving agency

City and County of Honolulu, Department of Planning and Permitting

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Accepting authority

City and County of Honolulu, Department of Planning and Permitting

Applicant

Hilton Hawaiian Village Beach Resort & Spa c/o Park Hotels & Resorts; Park Ala Moana; SMK

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Was this submittal prepared by a consultant?

Yes

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Action summary

In 2011, the Hilton Hawaiian Village (HHV) Master Plan was designed as the next chapter of HHV's continuing dedication to

support Waikīkī as a premier visitor destination. The Applicant proposes to expand the HHV Master Plan to include a 0.46-acre site along Ala Moana Boulevard. This expansion includes replacing existing structures at the site with the new AMB Tower, which will provide hotel lodging accommodations in a contemporary ambience. The AMB Tower will improve the quality and character of the Ala Moana Boulevard frontage at the 'ewa gateway to Waikīkī and enhance the Village experience for both Waikīkī visitors and local residents. The new tower is planned to include an open lobby area, porte cochere, ground floor retail accessible to pedestrians, parking, landsaping and pedestrian walkways, food and beverage offerings, pool and recreation area, and fitness area. Development of the project will produce new jobs through construction and long-term operation.

Attached documents (signed agency letter & EA/EIS)

- HHVMasterPlan-AMBHotel-SEISPN-November2021.pdf
- <u>DPP-determination-letter-to-ERP.pdf</u>

Shapefile

• The location map for this determination is the same as the location map for the associated Final EIS.

Action location map

• ProjectSite1.zip

Authorized individual

Janet Meinke-Lau

Authorization

• The above named authorized individual hereby certifies that he/she has the authority to make this submission.