## REGISTER OF CHAPTER 343, HRS DOCUMENTS

1989

January 8,

#### NEGATIVE DECLARATIONS

The following are Negative Declarations or determinations made by proposing or approving agencies that certain proposed actions will not have significant effects on the environment and therefore do not require EISs (EIS Rules 11-200-11). Publication in the Bulletin of a Negative Declaration initiates a 60-day period during which litigation measures may be instituted. Copies are available at 25 cents per page upon request to the Office. Parties wishing to comment may submit written comments to the agency responsible for the determination (indicated in project title). The Office would appreciate a copy of your comments.

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HONUA HAWAII CULTURAL CENTER, Honua Hawaii Cultural Center/Dept. of Land & Natural Resources (TMK: 2-4-4:131 & 132)

the applicant is Honua Hawaii

Cultural Center, a Hawaii nonprofit corporation. The applicant wishes to establish facilities in Hilo, Hawaii to operate English language programs for students from other countries under the "Moving Classroom" concept. Under this concept, students enrolled in foreign schools would attend special intensive classes in the English language in The present focus of the Hilo. program is on students from schools in Japan.

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The property is located in the South Hilo District in the Waiakea and Panaewa Forest Reserve, and consists of two adjoining parcels of 195.252 acres and 6.876 acres adjacent to Stainback Highway and the Volcano Highway.

Full development of the property is planned for two phases. The construction costs of Phase I are estimated at \$1,988,000 & Phase II are estimated at \$787,000.

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COMMERCIAL TIMBER HARVESTING, DLNR, Division of Forestry and Wildlife (TMK: 1-1-01:44,50;2-4-16:2; 2-9-14:1)

The Division of Forestry and Wildlife proposes to harvest plantations of commercial timber species of eucalyptus. Harvesting will be done rubber-tired skidders tractor logging methods to skid logs landing areas. Logs will be hauled whole from landings to the consumer or chipped at the landings and hauled away. All the harvested logs are intended to be eventually processed and sold as wood chips.

The areas proposed for logging are planted eucalyptus plantations occupying approximately 665 acres of state-owned lands of Haiku in the Makawao Forest Reserve and Honopou, Hanawana, Wahinepee and Kaumahina in the Koolau Forest Reserve.

To reduce soil erosion and siltation from the harvesting areas during logging operations, the licensee will be required to follow strict logging and road building construction practices. Harvesting will also be encouraged to take place during the dryer summer seasons.

The harvested areas are anticipated denuded during logging operations and for a period of approximately 6 months. After this period coppice sprouting from tree stumps, replanting and natural revegetation of herbs and grasses will develop into a good ground cover.

In the areas where clear-cut harvesting is proposed and in all sites used for landing, chipping sites, etc., replanting will be done as soon as the area is unoccupied.

MOLOKAI

COMMERCIAL TIMBER HARVESTING IN THE MOLOKAI FOREST RESERVE, DLNR, Division of Forestry and Wildlife (TMK: 5-2-14:03 & 5-4-03:25)

The following information supplements the information previously published in the November 23, 1988 OEQC Bulletin.

applicant proposes to harvest plantations of commercial species of pines. There are two (2) different harvesting schemes to be used. In the burned pine plantations and eucalyptus plantations the stands will be clear cut. In the unburned pine plantations, fifty percent (50%) of the trees will be harvested. Harvesting will be done using shears to cut trees and tractor logging methods to skid logs to areas. In areas too steep for shear cutting, trees will be felled by hand using chainsaws. Logs will be either hauled whole from the landings to the consumer or chipped at the landings and hauled away in chip vans. access routes to the timber plantations will be improved or new ones constructed to facilitate the transporting from landings to consumer. All logs harvested intended to be eventually chipped and utilized as fuel to generate electricity.

This project involves two management activities that would result in an economic benefit to the island of Molokai and the State of Hawaii. These activities are removing and replacing the burned and dying timber and thinning the long-overdue crowded stagnated young plantations. From the salvage harvest of the burned areas thinning of the unburned plantations, wood chips will be produced

supplement the burning of other biomass fuel at the Molokai Electric Company's power plant. Should the price of oil increase above the cost of \$17 per barrel, the burning of wood chips would be a cheaper source of fuel and perhaps stabilize the rising cost of electricity to the consumer.

The estimated manpower needs for the harvesting of raw logs, processing logs into wood chips, and hauling to the power plant is 25-30 men. These will be new jobs on the island of Molokai.

In the burned area where the proposal is to remove all trees that were killed or weakened by the fire, the site will be replanted with pines as soon as possible following logging. It is anticipated that the site would be revegetated within six months following the first good rain.

negative declaration determination mat was previously published in the November 23, 1988 OEOC Bulletin is now being retracted.

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KALIHI STREET 16-INCH WATER MAIN AND KALIHI RESERVOIR 614, Board of Water Supply, City & County of Honolulu (TMK: 1-4-09, 11-14,16,18-21)

The project involves the construction of a reservoir, instrument house, and 9,200 lineal feet of 16-inch water main in upper Kalihi Valley. The proposed one-million gallon reservoir will be constructed on BWS land near the existing Kalihi Aerator approximately one-half mile below the Wilson Tunnel portal. The reservoir will be connected to the existing water system at Maka Place via a 16-inch transmission main.

The water distribution system in upper Kalihi Valley consists of a dilapidated 200,000 gallon reservoir and a network of many old, undersized mains. The density of the area has increased since the water system was built, and some areas are subjected to low tap pressures during peak consumption hours. The current average daily demand is gallons and 900,000 gallons during 600,000 peak hour flow. The existing system is undersized and unable to provide adequate fire protection. The main objective of this project is to construct a new reservoir to replace aging and undersized Kalihi 595-foot reservoir. The reservoir and supporting pipeline would be of sufficient capacity to ensure a reliable supply to meet existing domestic and fire requirements.

CONSTRUCT A RETAINING WALL AND SWIMMING POOL, Brad & Carole Myers/Dept. of Land Utilization, City & County of Honolulu (TMK:3-9-28:26)

The proposed project involves the construction of retaining walls and a swimming pool. The project also includes the landscaping of the aforementioned retaining walls, construction of concrete decking, and the installation of related pool pumps and filters. The proposed improvements fall partially within the shoreline area.

CABLE SHIP TERMINAL AND STORAGE FACILITY, American Telephone and Telegraph Company/Dept. of Land & Natural Resources (TMK: 1-5-41: 3 & 6)

American Telephone Telegraph Company (T&TA) is seeking Conservation District Use Permit for development of proposed Sand Island Cable Terminal. The proposed action will

include development of land on Sand Island as well as approximately 97,000 sq ft. of submerged lands off adjacent shoreline. submerged lands of the proposed project site are within the State Conservation District and therefore require a CDUP. The land portion of the proposed project site is within the State Urban District.

TSTA or a designated developer proposes to develop a cable ship terminal facility for repair storage transoceanic of submarine telecommunications cables. action is required to accommodate new Pacific region high capacity digital fiber-optic submarine cable systems scheduled for installation beginning in 1988. The terminal is planned to provide a dedicated berthing facility for the cable ship CHARLES L. BROWN, now docked at Pier 2C on the east side of Honolulu Harbor. Additionally, the facility will be used for storage of spare cable and \*ccessories, and the training of repair personnel.

SEWER TUNNEL RELIEF INCREMENT 5, Dept. of Public Works, City & County of Honolulu (TMK: 3-2:03-06, 37-39 and 3-3:02-12)

proposed project involves installation of a lining within the existing sewer tunnel which extends along Keanu Street from the former Waialae Drive-In Theater site to its western terminus at Palolo Avenue, a distance of approximately 6,050 The purpose of the proposed feet. project is to provide for the continued maintenance οf public health and welfare by protecting the existing sewer line from corrosion.

The cost for rehabilitation using the lining system is estimated at \$4.55 million (in 1988 dollars). To preclude premature failure of the

existing sewer tunnel, the lining will be installed within 15 years.

## DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS

EISs listed in this section are available for review at the following depositories: Office of Environmental Quality Control; Legislative Reference Bureau; Municipal Reference and Records Center (Oahu EISs); Hamilton Library; State Main Library and the Kaimuki, Kaneohe, Pearl City, Hilo, Wailuku and Lihue Regional Libraries. Statements are also available at State Branch Libraries that are in proximity to the site of a proposed action (indicated by project description).

Comments on the following EISs should be sent to: 1) the accepting authority; and 2) the proposing agency. Please note the deadline date for submitting written comments on the EIS.

OAHU

SHERATON MAKAHA RESORT EXPANSION, ANA Hotels Hawaii, Inc./Dept. of General Planning, City & County of Honolulu (TMK 8-4-02:54)

The applicant requests an amendment to the Waianae Development Plan from residential land use to resort during 1989 Development Plan annual amendment review. ANA Hotels Hawaii owns the 200 room Sheraton Makaha Resort and Country Club located on 26.413 acres. In December 1987, ANA Hotels Hawaii, Inc. acquired two additional parcels adjacent to the Sheraton Makaha Resort. One parcel is 8.475 acres, vacant and designated for resort use. The other property that was acquired is 35.709 acres, mostly vacant and designated for

residential use. ANA Hotels Hawaii, Inc. also owns another 255± acres in Makaha Valley which is occupied by the 18-hole Makaha Resort West Golf Course. ANA Hotels Hawaii, proposes to expand the facilities of the Sheraton Makaha Resort on the acquired 44<u>+</u> acres. proposed Master Plan for the Sheraton Makaha Resort includes 300 additional rooms, 150 new resort condominiums, a new conference facility, additional tennis facilities, 5,500 sq. ft. of resort-related retail space and a new 50-unit health spa.

The project will commence immediately upon obtaining the necessary governmental approvals and the 300-room hotel addition and 50-unit health spa will be completed approximately 2 years after commencement. The first condominium units will be completed approximately 18 months after opening of the hotel and approximately 30 condominiums will be built available for occupancy every months thereafter, depending market conditions. Total construction costs have been estimated at about \$90 million in 1988 dollars.

Contact: Vincent Shigekuni
Helber, Hastert & Kimura
Planners
733 Bishop St.
Suite 2590
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

This EIS is also available for review at the State Main, Ewa Beach Community School, Waianae & Waipahu libraries.

Deadline: February 22, 1989

PACIFIC NATIONS CENTER, Dept. of Housing & Community Development/Dept. of Land Utilization, City & County of Honolulu 2-1-9:7,8,9,11,18,27,37,39,56)

The Dept. of Housing & Community Development is proposing to acquire six privately owned lots and to consolidate these lots with City-owned property to create superblock in downtown Honolulu. consolidated site of 5.06 acres would then be leased to a private entity the development of mixed-use complex. Development includes the site relocation of current tenants, demolition of existing structures, design and construction of the mixed-use complex (including landscaping) and operation of the new facilities.

Although construction of the new complex is expected to begin as early as October 1990, the phasing and timing of the work have not yet been determined. Costs for the proposed project have been prepared by the City based on the general components of the proposed project and are estimated at approximately \$350,000,000.

The site is bounded by So. Beretania, Fort, Kukui, and Queen Emma Streets and includes the public parking lot now called Block J, privately owned parcels and Kamalii Park.

The potential floor space based on the maximum allowable floor ratio is 1.65 million sq. feet. Preliminary tower massing alternatives, in accordance with allowable development standards and zoning regulations, suggest that three towers might be appropriate for the project site. Separate towers for office space, residential units and a hotel, each integrated with commercial uses, would result in the following configurations:

Office Tower 28 floors
Hotel/Office Tower 32 floors
Residential Tower 41 floors

The proposed project would have a

significant economic impact on the State. It is estimated that tax revenues to the State would range from \$3.7 to \$14.6 million depending on the degree of secondary economic stimulation.

Contact: Karen Iwamoto

Dept. of Housing & Community

Development

650 S. King St. 5th Floor Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

This EIS is also available for review at the State Main, Kaimuki, Kaneohe, Pearl City, Kailua & Liliha libraries.

Deadline: February 22, 1989

WAIOLA ESTATES SUBDIVISION, Department of Housing and Community Development, City and County of Honolulu (TMK: 9-4-07:1)

Previously published December 23, 1988

‰ Contact: Gail Kaito

Department of Housing and Community Development

City and County of Honolulu

650 South King Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Deadline: January 23, 1989

HAWAII

HONOLI'I HYDROELECTRIC POWER PROJECT,
Mauna Kea Power, Inc./Department of Land
and Natural Resources (TMK:
2-6-09:11;2-6-12: 18,24,29,30, and 31;
2-7-02:21)

Previously published December 23, 1988

Contact: Duk Hee Murabayashi
DHM Planners, Inc.

1188 Bishop Street

Suite 2405

Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

This EIS is also available for review at the Holualoa Library.

Deadline: February 6, 1989

MAUI

HONOAPIILANI HIGHWAY, PUAMANA TO HONOKOWAI, Department of Transportation

Previously published December 23, 1988

Contact: Albert Ng

Project Manager Highways Division Planning Branch

Dept. of Transportation

600 Kapiolani Blvd.

Room 304

Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

This EIS is also available for review at the Kahului, Lahaina, and Makawao libraries.

Deadline: February 6, 1989

FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS

The following EISs have been submitted for acceptance and contain comments and responses made during the review and response period.

IUAM

MAUI WAILEA 670, GCR/VMS Maui 670 & VMS Realty Partners/Planning Dept., County of Maui (TMK: 2-1-08:56 and 71)

Maui Wailea 670 will be an extension of the Wailea-Makena resort community. The Planned Maui Wailea 670 residential/resort community is dominated by two 18-hole golf courses

community provide for will activities in a mixed use village resort center and accommodations to complement the luxury hotel accommodations of Wailea around a and Makena. Organized "village green" concept, the service and activity centers for this master planned resort/residential community would be concentrated to create a primary The center. community planned to be activities/services within the mixed-use village would be eatery center, commercial and resort lodge visitor accommodations, visitor information center, and other facilities such as an arts and crafts To serve as a center and theaters. landmark feature for the region, a church could also be prominently located within the village.

The Maui Wailea 670 residential/resort is projected to be developed over 15 to 20 years. The project would be phased in conjunction with private and public infrastructure extensions and market demands.

Total development costs, including residential construction, utility multifamily) family and (single housing unit construction, roadway, lodges golf courses, resort facility recreational public construction, have been estimated to be approximately \$700 million, 1988 dollars.

HAWAII

HAWAII COMMODITIES IRRADIATION FACILITY, Department of Business and Economic Development (TMK: Site A, 2-1-12: 106, 107, 108; Site B, 2-1-12: 56,74, and 75; Site C, 2-1-25: 86)

Previously published December 23, 1988

Status: Currently being processed by the Office of Environmental Quality Control.

ALII HIGHWAY PROJECT, KAILUA-KEAUHOU, HAWAII, U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, State Department of Transportation (Highways Division), County of Hawaii (Department of Public Works)

Previously published December 8, 1988

Status: Currently being processed by the Office of Environmental Quality Control.

KEAHOLE AIRPORT EXPANSION, NORTH KONA, HAWAII, Department of Transportation, Airports Division, and Federal Aviation Administration

Previously published November 8, 1988

This EIS is also available for review at the Holualoa and Kailua-Kona libraries.

Status: Currently being processed by the Office of Environmental Quality Control

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WAIALUA KAHUKU REGIONAL WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS, WAIALUA KAHUKU, OAHU, Board of Water Supply, City and County of Honolulu

Previously published November 8, 1988

Status: Currently being processed by the Office of Environmental Quality Control. WINDWARD OAHU REGIONAL WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS, MALAEKAHANA TO MAKAPU'U, AKU, Board of Water Supply, City and County of Honolulu

Previously published October 8, 1988.

This EIS is also available for review at the Kahuku Community-School, Kailua and Waimanalo Community-School libraries.

Status: Currently being processed by the Office of Environmental Quality Control.

#### FEDERAL EIS PREPARATION NOTICE

The FDA has announced in the <u>Federal</u> <u>Register</u> dated Nov. 22, 1988 that they intend to prepare an EIS on the effects of their proposed action providing for the safe use of polyvinyl chloride polymers (PVC) in contact with food.

On Feb. 3, 1988, FDA published a proposal to amend its food additive regulations to provide for the safe use of vinyl chloride polymers in contact with food (51 FR 4177). The polymers" chloride "vinyl term chloride vinyl both includes homopolymer (polyvinyl chloride or PVC) and copolymers of vinyl chloride with other chemicals. In its notice of proposed rulemaking FDA announced conclusions that the proposed action would not have a significant impact on the human environment, and that an EIS was not required. environmental made its assessment (EA) and finding of no significant impact (FONSI) available for public inspection in the Dockets Management Branch.

At that time, FDA requested the submission of any data bearing on the issues and conclusions in the EA and FONSI.

n response to this request for information, FDA received six

submissions during the formal comment period that related to environmental issues, five from industry trade associations and one from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

environmental from comments The and organizations, state and citizens government officials, about concern expressed proposed action and requested that These comments FDA prepare an EIS. identified four major environmental effects of issues involving the of vinyl disposal postconsumer food-packaging polymer chloride incineration of MSW, material, recycling of MSW, the solid waste management crisis, and adjuvants used with vinyl chloride polymers.

In light of FDA's own analysis and EPA's findings and recommendation, FDA has determined that the proposed action may have significant environmental effects and that an EIS must be prepared in accordance with 21 CFR 25.42.

Written comments and information concerning the proposed actions and the EIS should be submitted by January 23, 1989 to the:

Dockets Management Branch Food & Drug Administration Rm. 4-62 5600 Fishers Lane Rockville, MD 20857

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 13-222-12, Hawaii Administrative Rules entitled "Shoreline Certification"

Date: Jan. 8, 1989 Number: 89-1

NOTICE OF APPLICATION: Application available for inspection at District Land Offices on the islands of Kauai, Hawaii and Maui and at Room 220, Kalanimoku Building, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Oahu

LOCATION	APPLICANT	TAX MAP KEY	DATE RECEIVED
Puapuaa lst, No. Kona (N. Kona, Hawaii)	Wes Thomas & Associates Inc.	3/7-5-20:por. 45	12/20/88
Kahana Sunset Beach Lots (Kahana, Maui)	Valera, Inc.	1/4-3-07:23	12/29/88
3635 Diamond Head Road (Kaalawai Beach Lots, Oahu)	R.M. Towill	1/3-1-38:09	12/21/88

Comments on application may be made in writing to the State Land Surveyor at Room 210, Kalanimoku Building, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Oahu within fourteen (14) days of this notice.

## NOTICE OF SHORELINE CERTIFICATION OR REJECTION

LOCATION APPLICANT TAX MAP KEY OR REJECTED (R)

APPEAL may be made to the Department of Land and Natural Resources in writing within twenty (20) days of the date of this notice:

Department of Land and Natural Resources
1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 220
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
Tel. 548-6460



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