BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Request of)

NETWORK PLUS, INC.

To Voluntarily Surrender its
Certificate of Authority.

DOCKET NO. 97-0218

<u>ORDER NO. 19500</u>

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I.

By Decision and Order No. 15853, filed on August 26, 1997, the commission granted NETWORK PLUS, INC. (Petitioner) a certificate of authority (COA) to operate as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications services. Petitioner was issued COA-0087 by the commission.

By letter dated April 10, 2002, filed on April 11, 2002, Petitioner requests commission approval to voluntarily surrender its COA. On July 29, 2002, in response to the commission's directive, Petitioner submitted its applicable annual financial reports and public utility fees.

Upon review, the commission will approve the proposed surrender of Petitioner's authority. Petitioner has complied with the customer notification requirement set forth in Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-80-123.

On April 8, 2002, Petitioner notified its approximately 21 Hawaii-based customers of its intent to discontinue the provision of telecommunication services. A copy of its written notice is attached as Exhibit A to its April 10th letter.

II.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 1. Petitioner's request to surrender its COA to operate as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications services is granted, effective from the date of this order. Petitioner shall promptly return COA-0087 to the commission.
 - 2. This docket is closed.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 2nd day of August, 2002.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Wayne H. Kimura, Chairman

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Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 19500 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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