BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of
GERARD K. U. LEE,
dba JAY’S LIMOUSINE SERVICE

Notice of Failure to Comply
With Hawaii Revised Statutes
and Commission’s Regulations
Order to Show Cause Why
Respondent’s Operating
Authority Should Not Be
Suspended or Revoked.

ORDER NO. 19579

DOCKET NO. 02-0268

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NOTICE OF VIOLATION, ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE, AND NOTICE OF HEARING

GERARD K. U. LEE, dba JAY'S LIMOUSINE SERVICE (Respondent), is the holder of a motor carrier certificate, issued pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) § 271-12. Under certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN) No. 1598-C, Respondent is authorized to transport passengers by motor vehicle on the island of Oahu.

On October 18, 1997, a Public Utilities Commission Enforcement Officer (State Enforcement) determined that Respondent violated the Hawaii motor carrier laws, and issued Respondent Citation No. 4427077, which imposed a civil penalty of $1,500.00. On March 6, 2001, Respondent paid $500.00 of the $1,500.00 fine imposed by Citation No. 4427077, leaving a balance due to the commission of $1,000.00. On July 30, 2001, State Enforcement again determined that the Hawaii motor carrier laws were violated, and issued Citation No. 0756, which imposed a civil penalty of $500.00. Since Respondent did not pay the the
penalty imposed by Citation No. 0756 within 15 days of its receipt and did not request a contested hearing on the citation within 20 days from the receipt of the citation, the citation was deemed to be a final order of the commission, pursuant to Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-68-21(f)(1). The commission sent bills for collection to Respondent for the outstanding $1,500.00 due ($1,000.00 Citation No. 4427077 plus $500.00 Citation No. 0756). Respondent has not complied with the commission’s orders by failing to pay the penalties imposed by the commission.

HRS § 271-19 and Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-68-32(b) authorize the commission, after notice and hearing, to suspend or revoke any CPCN, in part or in whole, if the holder is found to be in violation of any of the provisions of HRS chapter 271. Accordingly, the commission may suspend or revoke Respondent’s CPCN for failure to comply with the legal requirements set forth above, unless Respondent is able to show why such suspension or revocation should not occur.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Respondent shall appear at 465 South King Street, Room B3, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, at 9:00 a.m., on October 29, 2002 to show cause why Respondent’s CPCN should not be suspended or revoked for failure to comply with the legal requirements set forth in this order.

2. Respondent may be represented by counsel. If Respondent does not retain counsel, Respondent may be represented at the hearing as follows: (a) an individual may appear on his or her own behalf; (b) a partner may represent a partnership; and
(c) an officer or authorized employee of a corporation, trust, or association may represent the corporation, trust, or association.

3. If Respondent fails to appear at the scheduled hearing, Respondent’s CPCN shall be revoked.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 30th day of September, 2002.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By ________________________________
Wayne H. Kimura, Chairman

By ________________________________
Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

By ________________________________
(RECUSED)
Gregg J. Kinkley, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Catherine P. Awakuni
Commission Counsel
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 19579 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: September 30, 2002

Catherine Sakato