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----- In the Matter of -----)

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DECISION AND ORDER NO. 19823

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By Order No. 19573, filed on September 30, 2002, the commission ordered REX CRIGHTON, dba T&R TRUCKING SERVICE (Respondent) to 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 certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN) number 2054-C should not be suspended or revoked for failure to pay a penalty of \$401.53 assessed by the commission, pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes § 271-27(i) and Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-62-42, for Respondent's failure to timely file an annual financial report and pay an annual motor carrier gross revenue fee. The commission notified Respondent

^{&#}x27;The commission notified Respondent of the October 29, 2002 hearing by serving Order No. 19573 upon Respondent by certified mail, return receipt requested, at Respondent's last known address, or to Respondent's attorney. Pursuant to Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR) § 6-61-21, service is deemed complete upon properly stamping, addressing, and mailing the order to Respondent's last known address, or to Respondent's attorney. Additionally, pursuant to HRS § 91-9.5, the commission provided

that its CPCN would be revoked if it failed to appear at the scheduled hearing.

On October 29, 2002, Respondent failed to appear before the commission's hearings officer. As a result, the hearings officer recommended that: (1) Respondent be found in default for failure to appear at the hearing, and (2) Respondent's CPCN be revoked.

commission Based on the above. the finds that Respondent has not complied with Order No. 19573, the applicable laws, rules, and regulations, and concludes that Respondent's CPCN should be revoked.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS that CPCN No. 2054-C is revoked.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 27th day of November, 2002.

> PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Kimura, Chairman

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Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

(RECUSED)

Gregg J. Kinkley, Commissioner

Catherine P. Awakuni Commission Counsel

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Respondent with notice of the hearing via statewide publication in newspapers of general circulation on October 7 and October 14, 2002.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing <u>Decision and Order No. 19823</u> upon the following parties, by causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY P. O. Box 541 Honolulu, HI 96809

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for Karen Higashi

DATED: November 27, 2002