BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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

TARA GOLDEN, dba WET PAINT STUDIO TOURS

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. DOCKET NO. 03-0304

ORDER NO. 20505

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Filed Oct. 27, 2003
At 8:00 o'clock A. .M.

Chief Clerk of the commission

ATTEST: A True Copy KAREN HIGASHI

Chief Clerk, Public Utilities Commission State of Hawaii.

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

TARA GOLDEN, dba WET PAINT STUDIO TOURS ("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. 3559-C, Respondent is authorized to transport passengers by motor vehicle on the island of Kauai.

HRS § 271-25 and Hawaii Administrative Rules ("HAR") § 6-62-42(a) require Respondent to file an annual financial report ("AFR"). HRS § 271-36 and HAR § 6-62-24(a) require Respondent to pay an annual motor carrier gross revenue fee ("Fee"). Respondent failed to file an AFR and pay the Fee for 2002.

HRS § 271-19 authorizes the commission, after notice and hearing, to suspend or revoke any CPCN, in part or in whole, if the commission finds the holder violated any provision 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 November 26, 2003 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.

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DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 27^{th} day of October, 2003.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By.

Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

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Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

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Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Catherine P. Awakuni Commission Counsel

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 20505 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: October 27, 2003