# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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DIV. OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF HAWALI

DOCKET NO. 02-0133

In the Matter of the Application of)

MAKENA WASTEWATER CORP.

For a Certificate of Public )
Convenience and Necessity to )
Provide Sewage Services on the )
Island of Maui, County of Maui and )
For Approval of Rates, Rules and Regulations )

ORDER NO. 20573

Filed Oct. 14, 2003 At 10:00 o'clock A.M.

Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy KAREN HIGASHI Chief Clerk, Public U

Chief Clerk, Public Utilities Comprission State of Hawaii.

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# <u>ORDER</u>

I.

# Written Request For An Extension of Time

The commission directed MAKENA WASTEWATER CORP. ("Applicant") and the DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS ("Consumer Advocate") to, among other things, file a stipulated scheduling order by October 6, 2003, pursuant to Order No. 20437, filed on September 15, 2003.

The Consumer Advocate filed a letter on October 6, 2003 requesting a two-week extension of time (from October 6, 2003 to October 20, 2003) to comply with Order No. 20437 ("written request for an extension of time").

# Discussion

Hawaii Administrative Rules ("HAR") § 6-61-23(a)(1) provides: when by HAR chapter 61 or by notice or by order of the commission, any act is required or allowed to be done at or within a specified time, we may, for good cause shown and in our discretion, order the period of time enlarged, if written request is made before the expiration of the period originally prescribed.

The Consumer Advocate filed its written request for an extension of time on October 6, 2003. In its written request, the Consumer Advocate represents that "due to other work commitments, [it] has not been able to meet with Applicant to develop the stipulated scheduling order for submission to the [c]ommission." The Consumer Advocate also represents that Applicant does not object to the written request for an extension of time.

In light of the above, we find good cause to approve the Consumer Advocate's request for an extension of time. Accordingly, we conclude that the Consumer Advocate's written request for an extension of time (from October 6, 2003 to October 20, 2003) to comply with Order No. 20437 should be approved.

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III.

# <u>Order</u>

THE COMMISSION ORDERS that the Consumer Advocate's written request for an extension of time (from October 6, 2003 to October 20, 2003) to comply with Order No. 20437 is approved.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 14th day of October, 2003.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

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Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

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Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kevin M. Katsura 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. 20573 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 14, 2003