

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Request of))	
CHUO KOGYO USA CORPORATION)	Docket No. 03-0401
)	
For Voluntary Surrender of)	Order No. 20751
Certificate or Permit.)	
_____)	

ORDER

I.

Request to Surrender Common Carrier Authority

On November 28, 2003, CHUO KOGYO USA CORPORATION ("Petitioner") filed a letter requesting commission approval to voluntarily surrender its authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity number 1718-C ("Certificate No. 1718-C"). Under Certificate No. 1718-C, Petitioner is authorized to transport passengers by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the 8-to-25 passenger classification. As part of its request, Petitioner returned Certificate No. 1718-C to the commission.

In accordance with Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-19, operating authority under a certificate of public convenience and necessity may be terminated upon application of the holder. The commission finds good cause to grant Petitioner's request to terminate its authority.

II.

Orders

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Petitioner's authority to transport passengers under Certificate No. 1718-C is terminated, effective from the date of this order.

2. Petitioner shall remove any markings from the vehicles used in its operations. Petitioner shall comply with the foregoing requirement within 15 days from the date of this order.

3. If Petitioner fails to comply with the foregoing requirement within the time period specified, it may be subject to penalties pursuant to HRS § 271-27.

4. This docket is closed.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 12th day of January, 2004.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlito P. Caliboso
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By Wayne H. Kimura
Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Benedyne S. Stone
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By Janet E. Kawelo
Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 20751 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: January 12, 2004