BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of) )DOCKET NO. 03-0265
) ALOHA INTERNATIONAL MOVING )
) SERVICES, INC. )
) )
) For Extension of Motor Carrier )
) Certificate. )
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DECISION AND ORDER NO. 20826

Filed Feb. 27, 2004
At 2:30 o'clock P.M.

Karen Higashi
Chief Clerk of the Commission

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Chief Clerk, Public Utilities
Commission, State of Hawaii.
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I.

Application to Extend Common Carrier Authority

ALOHA INTERNATIONAL MOVING SERVICES, INC. ("Applicant") is a common carrier of property by motor vehicle in the (1) household goods classification over irregular routes on the islands of Kauai, Oahu, and Hawaii, and (2) general commodities classification over irregular routes on the island of Oahu. On September 23, 2003, Applicant filed an application seeking commission approval to extend its authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity number 204-C ("Certificate No. 204-C") to include the (1) general commodities classification on the islands of Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii, and (2) household goods classification on the island of Maui. Applicant represents that if its authority is extended as requested, it can meet customer demand for general commodities and household goods services on the islands of Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii.

Applicant served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, which consists of carriers that may be
affected by Applicant's proposed service, and on the Division of Consumer Advocacy, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Consumer Advocate"). The Consumer Advocate did not participate in this proceeding, and no persons moved to intervene in this docket.

II.

Findings and Conclusions

Based upon our review of the record, we find that Applicant is fit, willing, and able to properly perform the proposed service, and to conform to Hawaii Revised Statutes chapter 271 and the requirements and rules of the commission. We also find that the proposed service is required by the present and future public convenience and necessity. Accordingly, we conclude that Applicant's request for an extension of its authority should be granted.

III.

Orders

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Applicant is authorized to operate as a common carrier of property over irregular routes on the islands of Kauai, Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii in the general commodities and household goods classifications.

2. Applicant shall surrender Certificate No. 204-C, and an amended certificate reflecting the operating authority granted by this decision and order shall be issued.
3. Applicant shall comply with all of the commission's requirements for common carriers by motor vehicle including, but not limited to, filing a lawful tariff.

4. Applicant shall comply with the foregoing requirements within 120 days after service of this decision and order. Failure to comply within the time specified constitutes cause for this commission to void this decision and order.

5. Applicant shall not commence operations in the household goods classification on the island of Maui or the general commodities classification on the islands of Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 27th day of February, 2004.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By ________
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By ________
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 Decision and Order No. 20826 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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