### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of	)
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.	DOCKET NO. 03-0260
For approval to commit funds in excess of \$500,000 for Item Y00021, New Kuahua Substation.	) ) ) )

### STIPULATED PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 20863

Filed March 24, 2004

At 11:00 'clock A .M.

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Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. ("HECO") and the Division of Consumer Advocacy of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (the "Consumer Advocate"), hereby stipulate that the attached Stipulated Procedural Order is mutually acceptable to each respective party.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, March 19, 2004.

HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.

DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY

William A. Bonnet
Its Vice President

Cheryl S. Kikuta

Its Acting Executive Director

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On or about December 3, 2003, Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. ("HECO") and the Division of Consumer Advocacy of the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Consumer Advocate"), (collectively, the "Parties"), submitted a Stipulated Procedural Order to the Commission for this docket. On December 15, 2003, the Commission issued Stipulated Procedural Order No. 20714 ("SPO No. 20714") which established, among other things, the schedule of proceedings for this docket.

On February 10, 2004, the Consumer Advocate requested a modification of the procedural schedule for the remainder of the proceeding, as follows:

CA Statement of Position ("SOP")

March 19, 2004

HECO SOP, if necessary\*

April 5, 2004

\* If the CA objects to approval of the application, or requests that approval be subject to conditions.

On February 19, 2004, the Commission issued Order No. 20806 approving the Consumer Advocate's request and amended the schedule of proceedings for this docket.

The Consumer Advocate requires further time to complete its statement of position to address concerns it has with the instant project with HECO. (HECO does not object to this request.) The schedule would be amended as follows:

CA Statement of Position ("SOP")

April 8, 2004

HECO SOP, if necessary\*

April 19, 2004

\* If the CA objects to approval of the application, or requests that approval be subject to conditions.

Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-61-23(a)(1) provides the Commission with discretion, for good cause shown, to enlarge a period by which a required act must be completed, if a written request is made before the expiration of the period originally prescribed. The Commission finds good cause in this instance to enlarge the deadlines (from March 19, 2004 to April 8, 2004 for the CA's SOP and from April 5, 2004 to April 19, 2004 for HECO's SOP, if necessary) to comply with the Commission's order and the request is granted and so ordered.

DONE at Honolulu,	Hawaii, t	his	24th	day	of of	March	, 2004.	

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Ву

Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

By

Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ji/Sook Kim

Commission Counsel

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Stipulated Procedural Order No. <u>20863</u> 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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Karen Higashi

DATED: March 24, 2004