BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Request of

TAI PUI LAU

DOCKET NO. 03-0046

To Place Operating Authority on
Inactive Status.

ORDER NO. 20864

Filed March 25, 2004
At 8:00 o'clock A.M.

KAREN HIGASHI
Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy
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I.

Request to Extend Inactive Status

On March 3, 2004, TAI PUI LAU ("Petitioner") filed a letter requesting that the inactive status of his certificate of public convenience and necessity no. 1586-C ("Certificate No. 1586-C") be extended for an additional year. By Order No. 20064, filed on March 6, 2003, in this docket, Certificate No. 1586-C was placed on inactive status until March 6, 2004.

The commission notes that pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes § 271-19, the commission may grant inactive status for a cumulative period not to exceed two years over the life of the certificate. We find that there is good cause to grant Petitioner's request for an extension of his inactive status for an additional year. We conclude that Petitioner's request should be granted.
II.

Orders

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Petitioner's Certificate No. 1586-C is placed on inactive status for an additional one-year period, until March 6, 2005.

2. If Certificate No. 1586-C is not reactivated prior to the expiration of the period of inactivity, it shall be declared abandoned and revoked. The request to reactivate Certificate No. 1586-C, along with the filing of all required documents necessary for reactivation must be completed prior to the expiration of the inactivity period, or Certificate No. 1586-C shall be revoked.

3. Petitioner shall not transfer his inactive certificate unless Petitioner can first establish good cause to the commission for the transfer, and the commission has approved the request to transfer.
DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 25th day of March, 2004.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

By Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Benedyne S. Stone
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. 20864 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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