BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Request of
VON HAILI MELNICK, dba
MELNICK'S MOTOR SERVICE

To Place Operating Authority on
Inactive Status.

DOCKET NO. 04-0355

ORDER NO. 21519

Filed Dec. 23, 2004
At 1 o'clock P.M.

Karen Higashi
Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy
KAREN HIGASHI
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ORDER

I. Request to Place Common Carrier Authority on Inactive Status

On December 9, 2004, VON HAILI MELNICK, dba MELNICK'S MOTOR SERVICE ("Petitioner"), filed a letter requesting that certificate of public convenience and necessity no. 5721-C ("Certificate No. 5721-C") be placed on inactive status. Certificate No. 5721-C authorizes Petitioner to transport passengers by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Hawaii, excluding Waipio Valley, in the 1-to-7 passenger classification.

Under Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-19, the commission may place a certificate on inactive status upon written request by a motor carrier, and for good cause shown. The inactive period, however, may not exceed 12 months. In addition, HRS § 271-19 provides that inactive status may only be granted for a cumulative period not to exceed two years over the life of the certificate.
The commission finds that there is good cause to grant Petitioner's request. If Petitioner so desires he may file, prior to the expiration of the inactive period granted by this order, a request to extend his inactive status for up to one additional year.

II.

Orders

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Petitioner's Certificate No. 5721-C is placed on inactive status for one year, effective from the date of this order.

2. If Certificate No. 5721-C is not reactivated prior to the expiration of the period of inactivity, i.e., within one year from the date of this order, it shall be declared abandoned and revoked. The request to reactivate Certificate No. 5721-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. 5721-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  

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. **21519** 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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