

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
HAWAIIAN ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.)
For Approval to Construct a 46 kV)
Overhead Subtransmission Line)
Pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes)
Section 269-27.5, for Item EP001253,)
the Hickam PPV P40 and P41 46 kV)
Overhead Relocation Project.)
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ORDER NO. 21755

DIV. OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY
DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND
CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF HAWAII

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relocation of the 46 kV subtransmission line above the surface of the ground is consistent with HRS § 269-27.6(a).¹

HECO served copies of its Application upon the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Division of Consumer Advocacy.

The Project will involve the relocation of the existing overhead 46 kV subtransmission line between poles P97/41, P97/40, and P97/39, located on Hickam Air Force Base ("HAFB"), near the intersection of Kuntz Avenue and Vandenburg Boulevard, about one hundred (100) feet to the southwest of its present location. Specifically, the 46 kV overhead relocation work will consist of: (1) installing three (3) 70 foot wood poles, four (4) anchors, and approximately 650 circuit feet of 556.5 KCM AAC 46 kV overhead conductors; and (2) removing two (2) 70 foot wood poles, and approximately 600 circuit feet of 556.5 KCM AAC 46 kV overhead conductors.

The purpose of the relocation is to accommodate the planned construction of multi-family residential units, community center, and a housing office on the HAFB. HECO states that:

1. While the Project area is zoned F-1, Military and Federal: (A) the relocated 46 kV overhead line will be visible from nearby existing multi-family residential units; and (B) the new multi-family residential units will be built adjacent to one (1) end of the relocated 46 kV overhead line.

¹HECO, Application, Verification, Exhibit 1 - 5, and Certificate of Service, filed on April 7, 2005 (collectively, the "Application").

2. The Project developer is paying for the Project's total estimated cost of \$69,132, including change-over and removal costs, and the general excise tax amount of \$2,876.

3. The Project developer: (A) is nearly completed with the Project's design, and intends to commence construction within the next few months; and (B) requests HECO to expedite the relocation of the subject 46 kV overhead line.

HECO seeks to commence with the relocation in the June to July 2005 timeframe in order to accommodate the Project developer's request.

Given the potential need for a public hearing and the Project's timetable, the commission will instruct the Parties to submit a procedural schedule for the commission's review and consideration, with a projected date of June 2005 for the public hearing.²


THE COMMISSION ORDERS that within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, the Parties shall submit to the commission a stipulated procedural schedule, incorporating their agreed upon schedule with respect to this proceeding. If they are unable to stipulate to such a schedule, each party shall submit a proposed procedural schedule for the commission's consideration by the same date. Alternatively, in the absence of a formal procedural schedule, the Parties shall ensure that the Consumer Advocate's position statement is filed within


²In the event intervenor or participant status is later granted to any interested person, the commission will amend the procedural schedule accordingly, if necessary.

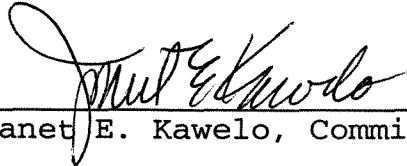
fourteen (14) calendar days following the completion of the public hearing.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii APR 15 2005.


PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
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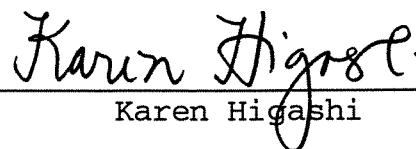
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 21755 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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