#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

## OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Request of)

THOMAS LE

For Voluntary Surrender of Certificate or Permit

## DOCKET NO. 2007-0043

<u>ORDER NO.</u> 23269

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Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy KAREN HIGASHI Chief Clerk, Public Utilities Commission, State of Hawaii.

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#### <u>ORDER</u>

By this Order, the commission orders that certificate of public convenience and necessity no. 1420-C ("Certificate No. 1420-C"), held by THOMAS LE ("Petitioner"), is terminated, effective from the date of this Order.

#### I.

#### Request to Surrender Common Carrier Authority

On February 12, 2007, Petitioner filed a letter requesting commission approval to voluntarily surrender his authority under Certificate No. 1420-C. Under Certificate No. 1420-C, Petitioner is authorized to transport passengers by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu in the 8-to-25 passenger classification, limited to limousines.

#### II.

#### Findings and Conclusions

In accordance with Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-19, operating authority under a certificate of public convenience and necessity may be terminated upon application of the holder. The commission finds good cause to grant Petitioner's request to terminate his authority.

#### III.

#### <u>Orders</u>

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Petitioner's authority to transport passengers under Certificate No. 1420-C is terminated, effective from the date of this Order.

2. Petitioner shall remove any markings from the vehicles used in his operations. Petitioner shall comply with the foregoing requirement within fifteen (15) days from the date of this Order.

3. If Petitioner fails to comply with the foregoing requirement within the time period specified, he may be subject to penalties pursuant to HRS § 271-27.

4. This docket is closed unless otherwise ordered by the commission.

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# DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii \_\_\_\_\_ FEB 2 0 2007

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlie P. Caliboso, Chairman

By John E. Cole, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stacey Kawasaki Djou Commission Counsel

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# CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the 23269 upon the following parties, by foregoing Order No. causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

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DATED: FEB 2 0 2007