BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)

MANELE WATER RESOURCES, LLC

For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Pursuant to Section 269-7.5 to Provide Sewer Service in Manele-Hulopoe, Lana`i; and for Approval of Rules, Regulations, and Rates.

DOCKET NO. 2006-0166

ORDER NO. 23445

Filed May 18, 2007 At 12 o'clock P .M.

Chief Clerk of the commission

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

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By this Order, the commission approves the documents submitted by MANELE WATER RESOURCES, LLC ("Applicant") on April 12, 2007, and closes this docket.

I.

Applicant's Documents

Pursuant to Decision and Order No. 23295, filed on March 13, 2007, the commission, among other things, ordered Applicant to submit documents memorializing the transfer of ownership of the wastewater plant and facilities that were the subject of this docket, and grants of easements and licenses from Applicant's affiliates, within thirty days of the date of Decision and Order No. 23295, or by April 12, 2007. The commission also allowed the DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY ("Consumer Advocate") to file comments, if any, on the documents submitted

by Applicant, within thirty days of the date of Applicant's submission, or by May 14, 2007.

On April 12, 2007, pursuant to Protective Order No. 23049, filed on November 22, 2006, Applicant timely filed documents relating to the transfer of wastewater plant and facilities, grants of easements, and licenses to Applicant from its affiliates, in accordance with Decision and Order No. 23295. The Consumer Advocate did not file any comments regarding the submitted documents.

The commission finds that the transfer documentation submitted by Applicant appears to be reasonable and in compliance with Decision and Order No. 23295. Accordingly, based on the commission's review, and there being no objections to the documents, the commission approves the documents, consistent with the terms of Decision and Order No. 23295, and closes this docket.

II.

<u>Orders</u>

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 1. Applicant's documents that were submitted on April 12, 2007 are approved.
- 2. This docket is closed, unless otherwise ordered by the commission.

¹The commission also notes that, on April 18, 2007, Applicant filed revised tariff sheets and rate schedules, in compliance with Order No. 23365, filed on April 13, 2007.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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. 23445 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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