

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 )  
 THOMAS H. SATO, dba )  
 TAMAI EXPRESS )  
 )  
 To Sell, Lease, Assign, Mortgage or )  
 Otherwise Dispose of, or Encumber )  
 The Whole or Any Part of Its )  
 Property, Certificate, or Permit. )  
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DOCKET NO. 2007-0086

DECISION AND ORDER NO. 23536

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

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At 10 o'clock A .M.

Karen Hignett  
Chief Clerk of the Commission



Transferor served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, which consists of carriers that may be affected by the proposed transfer, and on the Division of Consumer Advocacy, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Consumer Advocate"). The Consumer Advocate did not participate in this proceeding, and no persons moved to intervene in this docket.

## II.

### Findings and Conclusions

Upon review of Transferor's application, the commission finds that Transferee is fit, willing, and able to perform the services presently performed by Transferor, and that the proposed transfer of Certificate No. 60-C is just and reasonable and will be consistent with the public interest. Accordingly, the commission concludes that the proposed transfer is in accordance with HRS § 271-18, and should, therefore, be approved.

## III.

### Orders

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Transferor's application to transfer Certificate No. 60-C to Transferee is approved.

2. Transferee shall comply with all of the commission's requirements for common carriers by motor vehicle including, but not limited to, filing a lawful tariff, paying a fee of \$20 for motor carrier gross revenues, and filing the appropriate insurance documents.


3. Transferor shall file with the commission his annual financial report for the period of operation from January 1, 2007, to the effective date of this Decision and Order, and shall pay the associated motor carrier gross revenue fee.

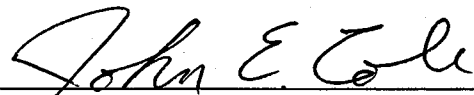
4. Transferor and Transferee shall comply with the foregoing requirements within one hundred and twenty (120) days after service of this Decision and Order. Failure to comply within the time specified constitutes cause for this commission to vacate this Decision and Order.

5. Transferee shall not commence operations under this Decision and Order until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

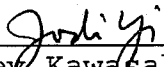
DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii JUL - 2 2007.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By   
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By   
John E. Cole, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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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 foregoing Decision and Order No. 23536 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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DATED: JUL - 2 2007