BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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SAND AND SEA TOURS, LLC

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SAND AND SEA TOURS, LLC ("Respondent") is the holder of certificate of public convenience necessity а and ("Certificate"), issued pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 271-12. Under Certificate No. 1787-C, Respondent is authorized to transport passengers by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Oahu.

HRS § 271-25 and Hawaii Administrative Rules ("HAR") § 6-62-42(a) require Respondent to file an annual financial report ("AFR"). HRS § 271-36 and HAR § 6-62-24(a) require Respondent to pay an annual motor carrier gross revenue fee ("Fee"). Respondent failed to file an AFR and pay the Fee for 2007.

HRS § 271-19 authorizes the commission, after notice and hearing, to suspend or revoke any Certificate, in part or in whole, if the commission finds that the holder violated any provision of HRS chapter 271. Accordingly, the commission may suspend or revoke Respondent's Certificate for failure to comply with the legal requirements set forth above, unless Respondent is able to show cause why such suspension or revocation should not occur.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Respondent shall appear at 465 South King Street, Room B3, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, at 9:00 a.m., on November 19, 2008, to show cause why Respondent's Certificate should not be suspended or revoked for failure to comply with the legal requirements set forth in this order.

2. Respondent may be represented by counsel. If Respondent does not retain counsel, Respondent may be represented at the hearing as follows: (a) an individual may appear on his or her own behalf; (b) a partner may represent a partnership; and (c) an officer or authorized employee of a corporation, trust, or association may represent the corporation, trust, or association.

3. If Respondent fails to appear at the scheduled hearing, Respondent's Certificate shall be suspended or revoked.

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Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

John E. Cole, Commissioner

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Leslie H. Kondo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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The foregoing order was served on the date of filing by mail, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to the following parties:

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