BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

----- In the Matter of -----)

METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF HAWAII, INC.

Notice of Failure to Comply With Hawaii Revised Statutes and Commission's Regulations; Order to Show Cause Why Respondent's Operating Authority Should Not Be Suspended or Revoked. DOCKET NO. 2008-0235

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By this Decision and Order, the commission vacates Notice of Violation, Order to Show Cause, and Notice of Hearing ("Notice"), filed on October 15, 2008, in the matter of METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF HAWAII, INC. ("Respondent").

I.

History

By Notice, filed on October 15, 2008, the commission ordered Respondent to appear at 465 South King Street, Room B-3, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, at 9:00 a.m., on November 19, 2008, to show cause why Respondent's certificate of authority should not be suspended or revoked for failure to pay the public utility fee ("Fee") that was due on December 31, 2007, pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statues § 269-30 and Hawaii Administrative Rules

§§ 6-80-19, 6-80-91. On October 31, 2008, Respondent paid its Fee that was due on December 31, 2007.

II.

Findings and Conclusions

The commission finds that Respondent has fully complied, although belatedly, with the commission's applicable laws, rules, and regulations, and concludes that the Notice, filed on October 15, 2008, should be vacated.

III.

<u>Order</u>

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 1. The Notice, filed on October 15, 2008, is vacated.
- 2. This Docket is closed unless otherwise ordered by the commission.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii _______ NOV 1 3 2008

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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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