# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In	the Matte	r of	
GTC	TELECOM CO	ORP.	;
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. 2009-0273

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By this Decision and Order, the commission revokes the certificate of authority ("COA") held by GTC TELECOM CORP. ("Respondent").

I.

#### History

By Notice of Violation, Order to Show Cause, and Notice of Hearing ("Notice"), filed on October 20, 2009, the commission ordered Respondent to appear at 465 South King Street, Room B-3, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, at 9:00 a.m., on November 18, 2009, to show cause why Respondent's COA should not be suspended or revoked for failure to pay the public utility fee (based on 2007 gross revenues) that was due on December 31, 2008, pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 269-30 and Hawaii

Administrative Rules ("HAR") §§ 6-80-19. In the Notice, the commission notified Respondent that its COA would be suspended or revoked if it failed to appear at the scheduled hearing.

On November 18, 2009, Respondent failed to appear before the commission's hearing officer. As a result, the hearings officer recommended that: (1) Respondent be found in default for failure to appear at the hearing, and (2) Respondent's COA be revoked.

II.

### Findings and Conclusions

Based on the entire record, the commission finds that Respondent has not complied with our Notice, and the applicable laws, rules, and regulations, and thus concludes that Respondent's COA should be revoked.

III.

#### Order

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

Respondent's COA is revoked, and this docket is closed unless otherwise ordered by the commission.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;The commission notified Respondent of the November 18, 2009 hearing by serving the Notice upon Respondent by certified mail, return receipt requested, at Respondent's last known address. Pursuant to HAR § 6-61-21, service is deemed complete upon properly stamping, addressing, and mailing the Notice to Respondent's last known address, or to Respondent's attorney. Additionally, pursuant to HRS § 91-9.5, the commission provided Respondent with notice of hearing via statewide publication in newspapers of general circulation on October 26, 2009 and November 2, 2009.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

John E. Cole. Commissioner

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Leslie H. Kondo, Commissioner

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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