BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Transmittal of)

KONA TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC.)

Filed on October 20, 2009.

ORDER APPROVING KONA TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC.'S TRANSMITTAL

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By this Order, the commission approves KONA TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC.'s ("KTC") transmittal filed on October 20, 2009, effective from the date of this Order. KTC, in support of its proposed tariff changes to reduce by twenty percent certain charges related to ground shipments that traverse Saddle Road on the island of Hawaii, states that the improvements to Saddle Road have: (1) greatly reduced the travel time for ground shipments that traverse Saddle Road; and (2) also reduced the maintenance required for its trucks. KTC shall promptly file with the commission, with copies served upon the Consumer Advocate, its revised tariff sheets with the applicable issued and effective dates.

See Order Suspending Kona Transportation Company, Inc.'s Transmittal, filed on November 19, 2009; and letter dated November 25, 2009, filed on December 2, 2009, from KTC to the Division of Consumer Advocacy ("Consumer Advocate"), with a copy to the commission.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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Transmittal Order.12-17-09.cp

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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