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Honolulu - The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA) and the various state boards and commissions that oversee professions and vocations have taken steps to ensure that people who have obtained professional and vocational licenses in Hawai'i are performing up to the standards prescribed by law.

The following is a summary of disciplinary actions taken by DCCA and the boards and commissions through the month of November 2004. These disciplinary actions include dispositions based upon either the results of contested case hearings or settlement agreements submitted by the parties.

DCCA DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS
(Through November 2004)

MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR INDUSTRY BOARD

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Tandal's Auto Maintenance & Detailing, Inc. & Hans R.K. Tandal (ARP 1999-69-L)	Licenses revoked	11-17-04

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
D&R Auto & Radiator Repair & Douglas A. Wagner (ARP 2002-70-L)	\$500 civil penalty, \$1,176.10 in restitution	11-17-04

CONTRACTORS LICENSE BOARD

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Apolosi Lauhinga, dba A. Lauhinga Contractor (CLB 2003-294-L)	Licenses revoked and \$23,000 in restitution	11-19-04

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Ilaisaane F. Malafu, aka David Malafu, dba Malafu Tree Trimming Service (CLB 2004-68-L) (Maui)	\$1,000 in restitution	11-19-04

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Laau Structures, Inc. & Greg Boyd, II (CLB 2000-230-L, CLB 2001-442-L)	\$1,500 fine	11-19-04

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Rachel F. Tortolini, M.D. (MED 2000-23-L) (Hilo)	\$500 fine	11-5-04

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Lowell A. Rego (MED 2001-80-L)	Reprimand & \$500 fine	10-8-04

BOARD OF BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Douglas G. Peterson, dba Doug Peterson Salon & Day Spa (COS 2004-35-L) (Maui)	\$2,500 fine	11-3-04

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Steven D. Weeks (REC 2003-44-L)	\$3,000 fine, \$1,200 in restitution	11-24-04

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Sheldon H. Lau (REC 2003-279-L)	\$1,000 fine	11-24-04

PEST CONTROL BOARD

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
James D. Neely (PCO 2003-4-L)	\$5,000 fine	9-27-04

MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Makena Hawai`i Windward, Inc., dba Mike McKenna's Windward Ford (MVI 2003-117-L)	\$1,000 fine	10-20-04

<u>Respondent</u>	<u>Sanction</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Hawai`i Nissan, Inc., dba New City Nissan (MVI 2003-68-L)	\$1,500 fine	10-20-04

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