REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

Professional and Vocational Licensing Division
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
State of Hawaii

MINUTES OF MEETING

The agenda for this meeting was filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, as required by Section 92-7(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes.

Date: Friday, January 28, 2000

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Kapuaiwa Room

HRH Princess Victoria Kamamalu Building

1010 Richards Street, Second Floor

Honolulu, Hawaii

Present: Alvin Imamura, Chair

Nora Nomura, Vice Chair Charles Aki, Member Michael Ching, Member

Patricia Choi, Member (Late Arrival) Alfredo Evangelista, Member (Late Arrival)

Mitchell Imanaka, Member John Ohama, Member Iris Okawa, Member

Calvin Kimura, Supervising Executive Officer Christine Rutkowski, Executive Officer

Pamela Garrison, Senior Real Estate Specialist

Naomi Cole, Real Estate Specialist Russell Wong, Real Estate Specialist

Cynthia Yee, Senior Condominium Specialist Gina Watumull. Condominium Specialist

Shari Wong, Deputy Attorney General (Late Arrival)

Irene Kotaka, Secretary

Edward A. Neizman

Paul Horikawa, Attorney for Edward A. Neizman

<u>Call to Order:</u> The Chair called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m., at which time quorum

was established.

<u>Chair's Report:</u> No report was presented.

The Deputy Attorney General arrived.

Executive Officer's Announcements, Introductions, Correspondence and Additional

Report: Distribution

Additions to the Agenda

Upon a motion by Commissioner Aki, seconded by Commissioner Imanaka, it was voted on and unanimously carried to add the following

items to the agenda:

- 4. Committee Reports
 - Laws and Rules Review Committee
 Chapter 53 of Title 16, HAR, Request for Approval to Conduct Public Hearing on Proposed Amendments
 - b. Education Review Committee
 Hawaii Association of REALTORS Report to Legislature
 on Continuing Education
 - c. Condominium Review Committee
 Community Associations Institute Request for Subsidy Approval "Toxic Mold in Buildings" – February 17, 2000
- 6. Licensing Questionable Applications Condominium Hotel Operator
 - e. Bay Realty, Inc., Timeshare Resales Hawaii

Minutes of Previous Meetings

Upon a motion by Commissioner Aki, seconded by Commissioner Ching, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the January 28, 2000 Real Estate Commission meeting as circulated.

Committee Reports:

Laws and Rules Review Committee

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ching, seconded by Commissioner Okawa, it was voted on and unanimously carried to accept the report of the Laws and Rules Review Committee meeting as follows:

- Minutes of Previous Meetings Accept minutes of December 8, 1999.
- 2. Program of Work, FY00 Division and Department Programs
 - RICO Request for Funding of Investigators Training Recommend approval of the request by RICO to send
 two investigators to attend the University of Hawaii at
 Manoa Outreach College Real Estate Salesperson's
 Prelicensing Course, subject to the following conditions:
 - 1) That the subject investigators will be assigned real estate licensing complaint investigations;
 - 2) That the subject investigators submit a report to the Commission concerning the course and its relevancy to his/her duties;
 - 3) That the subject investigators will participate in the Commission's instructor evaluation program and complete an instructor evaluation form. Prior to attending the course, the subject investigators to contact the Real Estate Specialists for briefing on the instructor evaluation program, receipt of the form and its use;
 - 4) That RICO will handle all arrangements, approvals and purchase orders. The funding will be through the Real Estate Education Fund for fiscal year 2000. The contact person will be Karyn Takahashi; and
 - 5) That due to budgetary constraints, all future requests shall be presented to the Commission for review and approval.

- b. RICO Advisory Committee Membership Lists –
 Recommend approval of the Real Estate Advisory
 Committee list and the addendum that the Advisory
 Committee Membership List also include any additional
 interim appointees that RICO deems necessary to aid in
 its investigations. The Commission will also forward the
 names of possible Advisory Committee members from
 the island of Kauai as soon as they are available.
- Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 9, 2000
 9:00 a.m.
 HRH Princess Victoria Kamamalu Building
 1010 Richards Street, Second Floor
 Honolulu. HI 96813

Education Review Committee

Commissioner Ohama asked for clarification on whether or not the Land Use and Permit Requirements-Residential Applications course was approved for 3-1/3 hours or 3 hours only. The course will be approved for 3-1/3 hour credits.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ohama, seconded by Commissioner Nomura, it was voted on and unanimously carried to accept the report of the Education Review Committee meeting, deferring acceptance of item 4., as follows:

- 1. Minutes of December 8, 1999 meeting Accept.
- 2. Continuing Education Administration, Curriculum, Courses, Providers, and Instructors Applications
 - a. 1999-2000 Continuing Education Providers and Courses Ratification List – Recommend approval of the attached list.
 - b. Course "Land Use and Permit Requirements-Residential Applications," Author/Owner: Philip Hale Wilia and Dower School of Real Estate, (Provider: Dower School of Real Estate), Course Category: Other Land Use Recommend Approval as a 3 1/3 hour continuing education course provided that the course title be revised to include "City and County of Honolulu," to delimit the topic.
 - c. Course "Escrow, Title & Appraisals," Author/Owner: Abe Lee, (Provider: Abe Lee Seminars), Course Category: Contracts **Recommend Approval** as a 3 1/3 hour continuing education course.
 - d. Course "Timeshare Real Estate I Introduction," Author/Owner: Lynn W. Carlson, (Provider: Lynn W. Carlson). Course Category: Investment, Property Ownership and Development, and Other Timeshare Real Estate **Recommend Approval** as a 3 hour continuing education course with the following conditions: 1) Course must be advertised as a 3 hour continuing education course; 2) Instructor must announce that the course is a 3 hour continuing education course; and 3) Continuing education certificates of completion must be issued noting 3 continuing education hours.

- Prelicensing Education Administration, Curriculum, Schools, Instructors, and Equivalency – Applications – 1999-2000 Prelicensing Education Schools and Instructors Ratification List – Recommend Approval of the attached list.
- 4. Post HREREC Contract Termination Administration Final Accounting **Recommend Acceptance**.

5. Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 9, 2000

10:00 a.m. Kapuaiwa Room

1010 Richards Street, Second Floor

Honolulu, HI 96813

Condominium Review Committee

Upon a motion by Commissioner Imanaka, seconded by Commissioner Ching, it was voted on and unanimously carried to accept the report of the Condominium Review Committee meeting as follows:

- 1. Minutes of December 8, 1999 **Accept** minutes.
- AOAO Registrations Recommend approval to ratify effective dates for AOAO registrations for 1999-2001 Registrations through December 31, 1999.
- Developer's Public Reports, Extensions Issued Recommend approval to ratify issuance of effective dates for developer's public reports and extensions for the month of December 1999.
- 4. Lanikai Place Registration No. 1871, Cynthia H. Thielen's Request **Recommend approval** to accept the developer's request to defer the matter to the March 8, 2000 meeting of the CRC.
- 5. Land Use Research Foundation Proposed Legislation "A Bill Relating To The Sale of Residential Condominiums to Owner-Occupants" (Draft 12/28/99) staff and the lead Commissioner to meet and work with the proponents of the proposed legislation.
- 6. Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 9, 2000

1:00 p.m.

Kapuaiwa Room

1010 Richards Street, Second Floor

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Community Associations Institute – Hawaii Chapter – Request for Subsidy Approval "Toxic Mold in Buildings" February 17, 2000 Upon a motion by Commissioner Imanaka, seconded by Commissioner Ching, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the Community Associations Institute – Hawaii Chapter's request for approval of a Condominium Education Fund subsidy for the seminar, "Toxic Mold in Buildings", to be held on February 17, 2000, according to contract terms.

Education Review Committee

A copy of the Hawaii Association of REALTORS' Report to the Legislature on Continuing Education for Real Estate Licensees was distributed to the Commissioners for their information. The Senior Real Estate Specialist reported that the report concluded that there was no need to offer any legislative changes to the existing continuing education

requirements. HAR conducted a survey among its members and the vast majority prefer to retain the ten hour requirement.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Imanaka, seconded by Commissioner Ohama, it was voted on and unanimously carried to accept HAR's Report on continuing education.

Post HREREC Contract Termination Administration – Final Accounting

The Vice Chair questioned staff on the appearance of additional funds. Real Estate Specialist Wong explained that moneys had been deposited initially with the University of Hawaii Foundation and later the contract was transferred to the Research Center of the University of Hawaii. During the changeover, the funds were left with the University of Hawaii Foundation.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ching, seconded by Commissioner Ohama, it was voted on and unanimously carried to accept the final accounting.

<u>Licensing and</u> <u>Registration -</u> <u>Ratification:</u> Upon a motion by Commissioner Nomura, seconded by Commissioner Aki, it was voted on and unanimously carried to ratify the attached list.

<u>Licensing – </u>

Questionable Applications:

Edward A. Neizman

The Chair recused himself from the meeting. The Vice Chair presided over the meeting.

Mr. Neizman was asked if he wished to have his application considered in executive session. Mr. Horikawa, Mr. Neizman's attorney, requested that the application be considered in executive session.

Executive Session:

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ching, seconded by Commissioner Aki, it was voted on and unanimously carried to enter into executive session, pursuant to Section 92-5(a),(1), HRS, "To consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional or vocational licenses cited in section 26-9 or both;".

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ching, seconded by Commissioner Aki, it was voted on and unanimously carried to move out of executive session.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ching, seconded by Commissioner Aki, it was voted on and unanimously carried to take this matter under advisement.

The Chair returned to the meeting and resumed presiding over the meeting.

Executive Session:

Upon a motion by Commissioner Aki, seconded by Commissioner Imanaka, it was voted on and unanimously carried to enter into executive session, pursuant to Section 92-5(a),(1), HRS, "To consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional or vocational licenses cited in section 26-9 or both;".

The Chair recused himself from the discussion of Edward A. Neizman's application. The Vice Chair presided over the meeting.

The Chair returned to the meeting and resumed presiding over the meeting.

Commissioner Evangelista arrived.

Commissioner Choi arrived.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Nomura, seconded by Commissioner Aki, it was voted on and unanimously carried to move out of executive session.

Chapter 91, HRS, Adjudicatory Matters: The Chair called for a recess from the meeting at 10:00 a.m., to discuss and deliberate on the following adjudicatory matters, pursuant to Chapter 91, HRS:

Special Deputy Attorney General Piccolo sent her apologies that she was unable to be present at today's meetings. Haunani Alm, RICO Attorney, was present on behalf of Ms. Piccolo.

In the Matter of the Real Estate Salesperson's License of Tommy Wen Lin, also known as Wen Lin, REC 99-30-L

In order to avoid an appearance of impropriety, the Executive Officer will be presenting the information on the Settlement Agreement to the Commission.

Ms. Alm was excused from the meeting.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ching, seconded by Commissioner Imanaka, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the Settlement Agreement Prior to Filing of Petition for Disciplinary Action and Commission's Final Order.

Ms. Alm returned to the meeting.

In the Matter of the Real Estate Broker's License of Leland H. Y. Louie, dba Hawaii Golden Realty, REC 99-45-L

Upon a motion by Commissioner Nomura, seconded by Commissioner Aki, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the Settlement Agreement Prior to Filing of Petition for Disciplinary Action and Commission's Final Order.

In the Matter of the Real Estate Broker's Licenses of Bay Realty, Inc., dba Timeshare Resales Hawaii and James A. Moberg, REC 1998-109-L

Commissioner Ching recused himself from the meeting.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Ohama, seconded by Commissioner Nomura, it was voted on and carried to approve the Settlement Agreement After Filing of Petition for Disciplinary Action and Commission's Final Order.

Commissioner Ching returned to the meeting.

In the Matter of the Real Estate Salesperson's License of Thomas E. Caprio, REC 98-122-L

Upon a motion by Commissioner Imanaka, seconded by Commissioner Okawa, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the Settlement Agreement Prior to Filing of Petition for Disciplinary Action and Commission's Final Order.

Following the Commission's review, deliberation and decisions in these matters, pursuant to Chapter 91, HRS, the Chair announced that the Commission was reconvening its scheduled Commission meeting at 10:29 a.m.

The Chair recused himself from the meeting. The Vice Chair presided over the meeting.

<u>Licensing -</u>
<u>Questionable</u>
Applications:

Edward A. Neizman

After a review of the information presented by the applicant, Commissioner Ching moved to approve the reinstatement of Edward A. Neizman's real estate broker's license and to direct staff to process to approvals the reinstatement application of Kaiman Realty, Inc., subject to ministerial functions only. Commissioner Imanaka seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and carried.

The Chair returned to the meeting and resumed presiding over the meeting.

Arthur A. Johnson

After a review of the information submitted by the applicant, Commissioner Ohama moved to approve the real estate salesperson's license application of Arthur A. Johnson. Commissioner Choi seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and unanimously carried.

Kinani D. Fitzgerald

After a review of the information submitted by the applicant, Commissioner Nomura moved to approve the real estate salesperson's license of Kinani D. Fitzgerald. Commissioner Ohama seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and unanimously carried.

Dorothy J. Jackson

After a review of the information submitted by the applicant, Commissioner Nomura moved to deny Dorothy J. Jackson's application for a real estate broker's experience certificate, pursuant to §467-9.5(3)(C), HRS. Commissioner Ohama seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and unanimously carried.

Bay Realty, Inc., Timeshare Resales Hawaii

Commissioner Ching recused himself from the meeting.

After a review of the information submitted by the applicant, Commissioner Ohama moved to approve the Condominium Hotel

Operator registration of Bay Realty, Inc., Timeshare Resales Hawaii. Commissioner Evangelista seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and carried.

Commissioner Ching returned to the meeting.

Next Meeting: Friday, February 25, 2000

9:00 a.m.

Kapuaiwa Room

HRH Princess Victoria Kamamalu Building

1010 Richards Street, Second Floor

Honolulu, Hawaii

Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, the Chair adjourned the meeting at

10:31 a.m.

Reviewed and approved by:

/s/ Christine Rutkowski
Christine Rutkowski
Executive Secretary

February 25, 2000

Date

[Χ]	Approved as circulated.	
[]	Approved with corrections; see minutes of	meeting.

APPROVED APPLICATIONS FOR REAL ESTATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION MEETING ON JANUARY 28, 2000

Brokers - Corporations and Partnerships Honolulu Development Corporation Kenneth Nobuta, PB	Effective Date 12/03/99
Crowntree Enterprises, Inc. Mark T. Shklov, PB	11/18/99
Kaneohe Ranch Company, Limited M.M. Mosher-Cates, PB	12/23/99
Kona Village Realty, Inc. Sumio Nakashima, PB	05/28/99
Saturation Point, Inc., Hart of Kona Realty Todd E. Hart, PB	12/10/99
SFC Realty Corporation Scott F. Church,PB	01/05/00
Realty Executives-Big Island Corporation Reese Ernest Libby, PB	01/06/00
Brokers – Limited Liability Companies and Partnerships Home Managers, LLC Marian E. Kunihisa, PB	Effective Date 12/27/99
Brokers - Sole Proprietor Jennifer Aquino Joanne L. Anderson Ronald T. Okumoto Ronnie L. Lunsford, Hawaii's Realty Connection Henry James Correa, Jr., Hank Correa Realty Katherine A. Ingoglia Gary M. Yokoyama Diana Chang, Happy Land Properties Paul Y. M. Kang Elton M. Yugawa, Elton M. Yugawa, Realtor Kathi L. Henry Keith E. Sakoda Jared E. Yamamoto Jack S. Fisher, isleofmaui.com REALTORS Richard S. Cricchio, Help-U-Sell Honolulu Properties Sheldon Soosman, S & S Realty	Effective Date 11/15/99 11/17/99 11/20/99 11/30/99 11/24/99 12/06/99 12/06/99 12/08/99 12/13/99 12/14/99 12/15/99 12/17/99 12/17/99 12/20/99 01/03/00 12/28/99
Tradename Landsman, Inc., Kula Land Company National Mortgage Real Estate Corp., Marina Apartment Rentals & Sales	Effective Date 12/10/99 12/21/99
Keith Ellison Haruyuki Sakoda, Sakoda Realty	12/28/99
Corporation Name Realty 1 st , Inc.	Effective Date 12/20/99
(fka Commercial & Development Realty Corporation) Kaanapali Resort Realty LLC (fka Kaanapali Alii Realty LLC)	12/30/99

Branch Office Consolidated Resorts, Inc. Marcus J. Baricuatro, PB	Expiration Date 11/24/99
Charles M. Allbritton, BIC Fred Sands Iwado Realty Inc. Tamio Iwado, PB	12/07/99
Denise A. Prosser, BIC National Mortgage Real Estate Corp., Marina Apartment Rentals & Sales Derek T. Kimura, PB	12/21/99
Stephanie MacDonald Lange, BIC All Islands, Inc., Century 21 All Islands James W. Wright, PB Carol Miller Keale, BIC	12/20/99
Equivalency to Uniform Section of Examination Certificate Randolph G. Howard, Jr. Jeff J. Spaur Sandra T. Benson Soledad Archer Lawrence M. Vied Joan V. Vied	Expiration Date 12/15/00 12/16/00 01/06/01 01/13/01 01/13/01 01/13/01
Education Waiver Certificate Amy Wasson Chasmin Alu Sokoloski Richard Moreno Rivera Matthew Justin Ozelie Heather Kwai Lan Conahan James Rueter Mark Christopher Palardy Sandra Thompson Benson Coletta A. Edison James Ledford Bradley Kathy J. Yap Randolph George Howard, Jr.	Expiration Date 12/02/00 12/07/00 12/07/00 12/13/00 12/14/00 12/21/00 12/27/00 01/06/01 01/10/01 01/10/01 01/10/01 01/18/01
Real Estate Broker Experience Certificate Janet Lee Anderson Junko Yamada Gwen Herrington Halleh Kokani Noranne M. Pang Anita F. K. Ho Daniel Espinosa Mariano S. Apuya Lynn S. Yuasa John K. Tse	Expiration Date 12/07/00 12/08/00 12/13/00 12/17/00 12/20/00 12/23/00 12/23/00 12/30/00 12/30/00 01/03/01

Real Estate Broker (upgrade) Vincent S. Yano Maureen A. Severson Alberta Dale Habib Tulane E. Ebisu Kathi L. Henry Young M. McTernan Steven L. Tam	Effective Date 12/08/99 11/22/99 11/30/99 11/22/99 11/29/99 12/17/99 01/03/00
Restoration of Forfeited Salesperson's License Jan Todd John D. Mowry Monta R. Koch	<u>Date</u> 12/01/99 11/16/99 11/30/99
Condominium Hotel Operator Marc Hotels & Resorts, Inc., Marc Resorts Hawaii Hawaiian Condo Resorts, Inc. National Mortgage Real Estate Corp., Marina Apartment Rentals and Sales Keauhou Property Management, Inc. The Vermeire Corp., Kona Aloha Property Services Fred Sands Iwado Realty, Inc. Sunterra Pacific, Inc.	Effective Date 12/3/99 12/21/99 12/21/99 12/22/99 12/23/99 12/30/99 01/01/00
Condominium Managing Agent Marc Hotels & Resorts, Inc., Marc Resorts Hawaii Hawaii Equities, Inc.	12/03/99 11/30/99