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ENDANGERED SPECIES RECOVERY COMMITTEE MEETING

DATE: October 21 and 22, 2015

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Conference Room 325, Hawaii State Capitol, 415 South Beretania Street, Honolulu

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AGENDA

ITEM 1. Call to order.

ITEM 1.a. Introductions of Committee members

ITEM 2. Request for recommendations from the Endangered Species Recovery Committee on all current habitat conservation plans, safe harbor agreements, and incidental take licenses. Review and briefing from DOFAW staff: Status of the issuance of incidental take licenses for endangered, threatened, proposed, and candidate species for the period July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015. Sixteen Incidental Take Licenses have been issued by the State of Hawaii since 2005 in conjunction with an approved Habitat Conservation Plan or Safe Harbor Agreement under Hawaii Revised Statute Chapter 195D. List of approved Habitat Conservation Plan and Safe Harbor Agreement (order may not reflect when plan/agreement will be discussed): Kaheawa Pastures Wind Energy Generation Facility Habitat Conservation Plan, (2006); Kaheawa Wind Power II Wind Energy Generation Facility Habitat Conservation Plan (2012); Kahuku Wind Power Habitat Conservation Plan, (2010); Kawailoa Wind Power Habitat Conservation Plan, (2012); Auwahi Wind Energy Habitat Conservation Plan, (2012); Habitat Conservation Plan for the Construction and Operation of the Lana'i Meteorological Towers, (2008); A Conservation Plan for Hawaiian Stilt at Cyanotech Aquaculture Facility, (2003); Habitat Conservation Plan for Construction of the Advanced Technology Solar Telescope (now known as Daniel K. Inouye Solar Telescope) at the Halekalā High Altitude Observatory Site, (2011); Kaua'i Lagoons Habitat Conservation Plan, (2012); Round-leaved Chaff Flower (Achyranthes splendens var. rotundata) Habitat Conservation Plan, (2014); Habitat Conservation Plan for Abutilon menziesii, (2004); Safe Harbor Agreement for Pu'u o Hōkū Ranch, (2001); Programmatic Safe Harbor Agreement for Nēnē on the Island of Moloka'i, (2003); Safe Harbor Agreement for the Introduction of Nene to Pi'iholo Ranch, (2004); Safe Harbor Agreement for the Reintroduction of Nēnē to Haleakalā Ranch, (2012); Safe

Harbor Agreement and Habitat Management Plan for the Koloa Maoli or Hawaiian Duck (*Anas wyvilliana*) and the Nēnē or Hawaiian Goose (*Branta sandvicensis*) on Umikoa Ranch, (2001).

- **ITEM 3. Approval of Hawaiian Hoary Bat White Paper Guidance Document:** DOFAW staff has revised the Hawaiian Hoary Bat white paper guidance document based on discussions from the September 8, 2015 ESRC meeting discussions.
 - i. Vote to approve, reject, or amend White Paper Guidance Document
- ITEM 4. Briefing from Applicant on Draft Habitat Conservation Plan for Lalamilo Wind Farm, Island of Hawai'i.
- ITEM 5. Briefing and update from Applicant on Draft Honua'ula (Wailea 670) Habitat Conservation Plan, Island of Maui.
- **ITEM 6. Announcements.** Set next meeting dates.
- ITEM 7. Adjournment.

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