Board of Land and  
Natural Resources  
State of Hawai‘i  
Honolulu, Hawai‘i

ISSUANCE OF A REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR  
COMMERCIAL BUSINESS FROM A T-HANGAR  
K & S HELICOPTERS, INC. DBA PARADISE HELICOPTERS  
ELLISON ONIZUKA KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AT KEÄHOLE  
TAX MAP KEY: (3) 7-3-43: PORTION OF 40  

HAWAI‘I

LEGAL REFERENCE:  
Section 171-55, Hawai‘i Revised Statutes.

APPLICANT:  
K & S Helicopters, Inc. (KSH), whose business address P.O. Box 5371, Kailua-Kona, Hawai‘i 96745.

LOCATION AND TAX MAP KEY:  
Portion of Ellison Onizuka Kona International Airport at Keāhole (KOA), Kailua-Kona, Island of Hawai‘i, identified by Tax Map Key: 3rd Division, 7-3-43: Portion of 40.

AREA:  
Small Plane Hangar Unit No. 403-105, containing an area of approximately 1,011 square feet as shown on the attached Exhibit A.

ZONING:  
State Land Use District: Urban & Conservation  
County of Hawai‘i: Industrial (MG-1a) and Open

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LAND TITLE STATUS:

Section 5(a) lands of the Hawai‘i Admission Act: Ceded
DHHL 30% entitlement lands pursuant to Hawai‘i Admission Act YES ___ NO ___

CURRENT USE STATUS:

Airport and aeronautical purposes.

CHARACTER OF USE:

KSH will use the space for commercial helicopter operations.

COMMENCEMENT DATE:

Upon execution of the revocable permit.

MONTHLY RENTAL:

$1,263.75 (as determined from the DOTA schedule of rates and charges established by appraisal of Airports property statewide).

SECURITY DEPOSIT:

$3,791.25 or three times the monthly rental in effect.

HOLDOVER TENANCY:

$42.13

DCCA VERIFICATION:

Place of business registration confirmed: YES X NO ___
Registered business name confirmed: YES X NO ___
Good standing confirmed: YES X NO ___

CHAPTER 343, HRS - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

Pursuant to Section 11-200-8(a), Environmental Impact Statement Rules of the Department of Health, State of Hawai‘i, this disposition is exempt from requirements regarding preparation of an environmental assessment, negative declaration, or environmental impact statement as required by Chapter 343, Hawai‘i Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to Environmental Impact Statements, because the proposed action falls
within Exemption Class #1, Comprehensive Exemption List for the State of Hawai‘i, Department of Transportation, dated November 15, 2000, as approved by the Environmental Quality Council. Exemption Class #1 covers operations, repairs, or maintenance of existing structures, facilities, equipment, or topographical features involving negligible or no expansion or change of use beyond that previously existing.

The DOTA consulted with the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration as to the appropriateness of the citation of the Environmental Exemption Class from the Comprehensive list for the Department of Transportation dated November 15, 2000. In this case, the FAA concurred on the appropriateness.

REMARKS:

In accordance with Section 171-55 HRS, relating to Permits, the Department of Transportation proposes to issue a month-to-month revocable permit to KSH for its commercial helicopter operations at KOA.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board authorize the Department of Transportation to issue a month-to-month revocable permit to KSH, subject to: (1) terms and conditions herein outlined, which are by reference incorporated herein; and (2) such additional terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Director of Transportation to best serve the interests of the State.

Respectfully submitted,

JADE T. BUTAY
Director of Transportation

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

SUZANNE D. CASE
Chairperson and Member