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IN REPLY REFER TO:

Board of Land and
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State of Hawai'i
Honolulu, Hawai'i

ISSUANCE OF A REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR COMMERCIAL
USE OF A T-HANGAR FOR STORAGE OF AIRCRAFT AND A
MAINTENANCE HANGAR
MAUNA LOA HELICOPTER TOURS LLC
LĪHU'E AIRPORT
TAX MAP KEY: (4) 3-5-001: PORTION OF 008

KAUA'I

LEGAL REFERENCE:

Section 171-55, Hawai'i Revised Statutes (HRS).

APPLICANT:

Mauna Loa Helicopter Tours LLC (MLHT) whose business address is 73-310 U'u Street,
Kailua-Kona, Hawai'i, 96740.

LOCATION:

Portion of Līhu'e Airport, Līhu'e, Island of Kaua'i, State of Hawai'i,
identified by Tax Map Key: 4th Division, 3-5-001: Portion of 008.

AREA:

Building/Room No. 411-102, containing an area of approximately 1,081 square feet, as
shown and delineated on the attached Exhibit "A".

ZONING:

State Land Use District: Urban
County of Kaua'i: Industrial General/Special Treatment-Public Use (IG/ST-P)

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LAND TITLE STATUS:

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

CURRENT USE STATUS:

Land presently encumbered by Governor's Executive Order No. 4614, dated October 28, 2019, setting aside 883.583 acres designated as the Airport to be under the control and management of the State of Hawai'i, Department of Transportation for Airport Purposes.

CHARACTER OF USE:

MLHT will use the T-hangar for storage of aircraft (2005 Robinson R44 II, N822F) and a maintenance hangar to be used as part of its Commercial Helicopter Tour, Charter and Flight School Operations.

No Helicopter Tour Operations will be allowed from the T-hangar.

COMMENCEMENT DATE:

Upon execution of the revocable permit.

MONTHLY RENTAL:

\$1,199.91 (\$1,081.00 as determined from the DOTA schedule of rates and charges established by appraisal of Airports property statewide plus \$118.91 for electricity).

SECURITY DEPOSIT:

\$3,599.73, or three (3) times the monthly rental in effect.

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:

The State of Hawai'i, Department of Transportation, Airports Division (DOTA), has determined that the environmental impacts for the subject land use is covered by the Līhu'e Airport Ahukini Road Realignment and General Aviation Subdivision Final Environmental Assessment (FEA), published by the Office of Environmental Quality Control (OEQC) in the April 23, 1997, issue of The Environmental Notice. Accordingly,

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all relevant mitigation from the FEA and best management practices will be implemented to address the minimum impacts of this action.

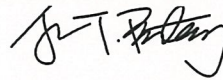
REMARKS:

In accordance with Section 171-55, HRS, relating to Permits, the Department of Transportation proposes to issue a month-to-month revocable permit to MLHT for storage of aircraft and a maintenance hangar to be used as part of its Commercial Helicopter Tour, Charter and Flight School Operations at Līhu‘e Airport.

RECOMMENDATION:

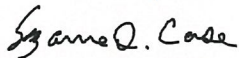
That the Board authorize the Department of Transportation to issue a month-to-month revocable permit to MLHT subject to: (1) terms and conditions herein outlined, which are by reference incorporated herein; and (2) such additional terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Director of Transportation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

Respectfully submitted,

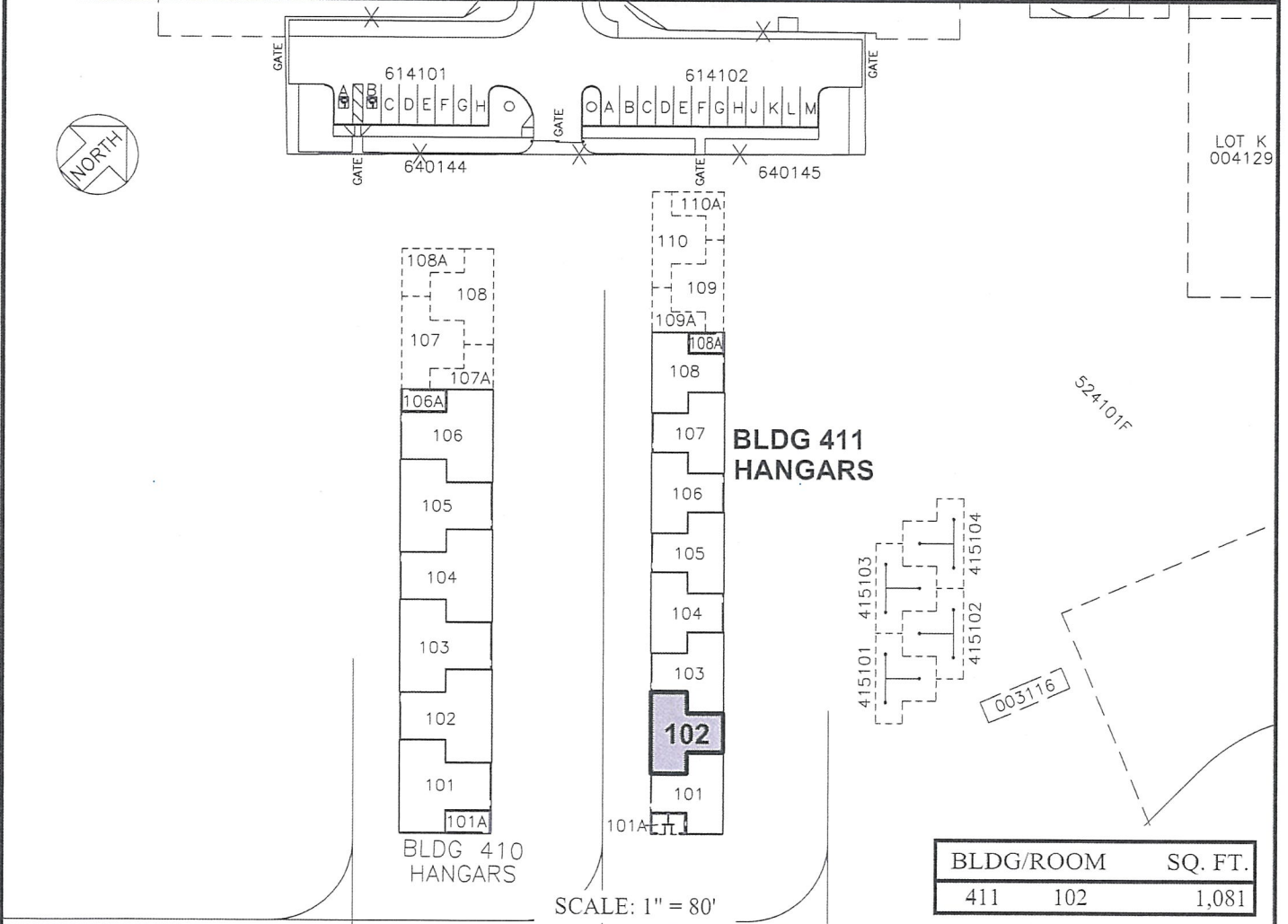
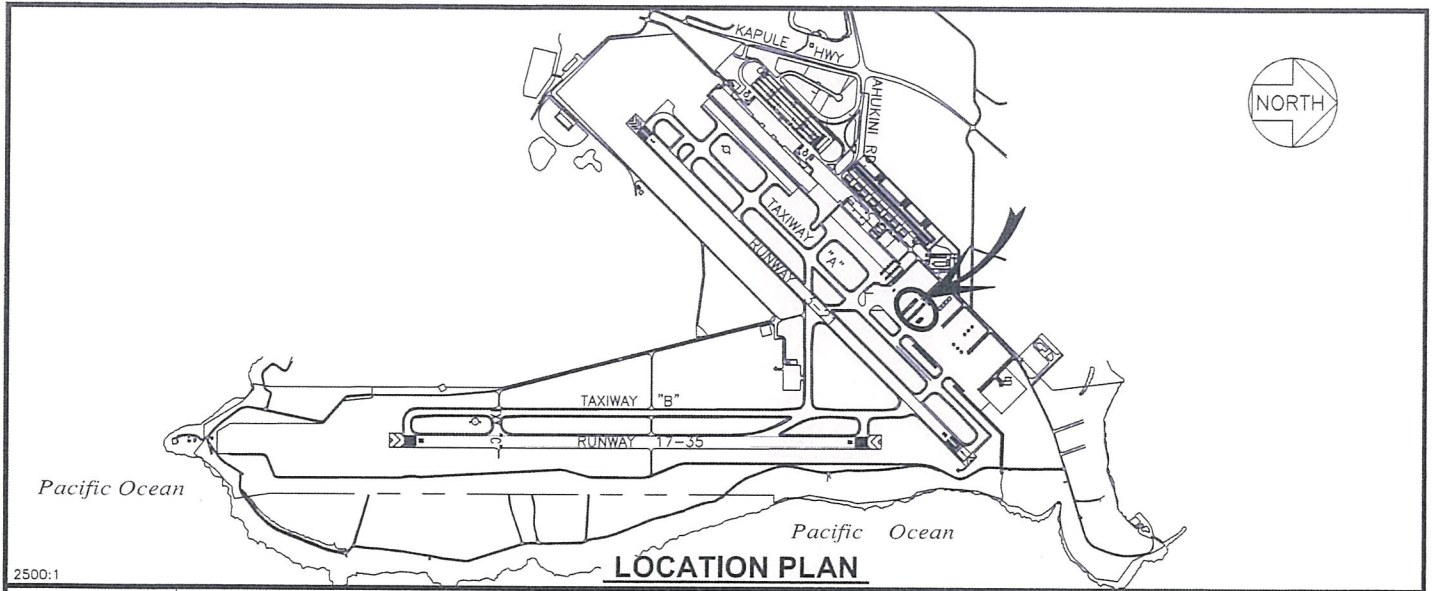


JADE T. BUTAY
Director of Transportation

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:



SUZANNE D. CASE
Chairperson and Member



DATE : NOVEMBER 2017

EXHIBIT: **A**



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HELICOPTER TOURS LLC

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HANGARS
GROUND LEVEL

411102
PLATS E1, 35

LIHUE AIRPORT

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