

STATE OF HAWAII

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of)	CASE NO. CE-12-238
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STATE OF HAWAII ORGANIZATION OF)	ORDER NO. 1138
POLICE OFFICERS (SHOPO),)	
)	ORDER DENYING COMPLAINANT'S
Complainant,)	APPLICATION TO TAKE DEPO-
)	SITIONS
and)	
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MAUI POLICE DEPARTMENT, County)	
of Maui,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER DENYING COMPLAINANT'S APPLICATION TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS

On November 10, 1994, Complainant STATE OF HAWAII ORGANIZATION OF POLICE OFFICERS (SHOPO), by and through its attorney, filed an Application to Take Depositions with the Hawaii Labor Relations Board (Board). SHOPO seeks to depose Chief Howard Tagomori; Deputy Chief Stanley Tadaki; Assistant Chief Kenneth Delima; Sergeant Ramsay Anakalea; and Sergeant Tevoli Faa'amu prior to the November 18, [sic] 1994 hearing on the instant prohibited practice complaint.¹

SHOPO contends that the depositions are necessary to narrow the issues; discover and preserve the testimony of witnesses; obtain full disclosure of all testimony and information to allow for a complete and fair decision; and to possibly submit the depositions in lieu of live witness testimony.

¹At the prehearing conference on November 21, 1994, the Board rescheduled the hearing in this matter from November 28, 1994 to January 9, 1995, in order to allow the parties an opportunity to meet and settle the case.

Upon consideration of SHOPO's application and in view of the fact that each of the requested deponents has been subpoenaed to testify at the January 9, 1995 hearing in this matter, the Board finds that SHOPO failed to establish good cause to grant its application pursuant to Administrative Rules § 12-42-8(g)(6).

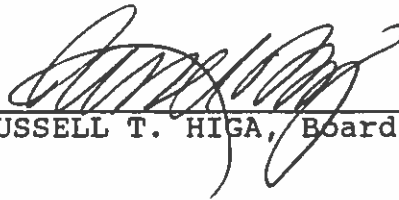
Accordingly, the Board hereby denies Complainant's Application to Take Depositions.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, December 30, 1994.

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD



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