

STATE OF HAWAII

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of	)	CASE NO. I-02-66
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HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES	)	ORDER NO. 1353
ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152,	)	
AFL-CIO,	)	ORDER DECLARING IMPASSE
	)	AND APPOINTING A MEDIATOR
Exclusive	)	
Representative,	)	
	)	
and	)	
	)	
BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO, Governor,	)	
State of Hawaii; JEREMY HARRIS,	)	
Mayor, City and County of	)	
Honolulu; STEVEN YAMASHIRO,	)	
Mayor, County of Hawaii;	)	
LINDA C. LINGLE, Mayor, County	)	
of Maui and MARYANNE KUSAKA,	)	
Mayor, County of Kauai,	)	
	)	
Public	)	
Employers.	)	

ORDER DECLARING IMPASSE AND APPOINTING A MEDIATOR

On January 5, 1996, the HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO (HGEA), by and through its representative, filed a Notice of Impasse and Request for Board Assistance with the Hawaii Labor Relations Board (Board), stating that an impasse had been reached in contract negotiations for employees in bargaining unit 02 (Supervisory employees in blue-collar positions). Shortly thereafter, an HGEA representative requested that the Board hold the proceedings on the petition in abeyance. On August 5, 1996, an HGEA representative contacted the Board to place the matter on the Board's calendar.

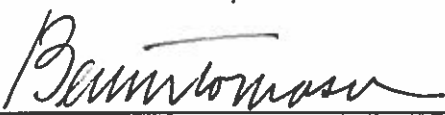
Based upon an investigation conducted by the Board, the Board finds that the parties have been unable to reach agreement

after good faith negotiations, an impasse in the contract negotiations for Unit 02 in fact exists, and mediation is not being resorted to prematurely.

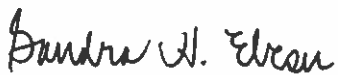
NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the Board has asked the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service to provide a mediator to assist the parties in the resolution of their dispute. The Federal Mediator, Mr. Kenneth Kawamoto, has agreed to serve and is hereby appointed as mediator in the instant impasse.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, August 13, 1996.

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

  
BERT M. TOMASU, Chairperson

  
RUSSELL T. HIGA, Board Member

  
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