STATE OF HAWAII

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of

HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO,

Exclusive Representative,

and

BENJAMIN J. CAYETANO, Governor, State of Hawaii; JEREMY HARRIS, Mayor, City and County of Honolulu; STEPHEN YAMASHIRO, Mayor, County of Hawaii; JAMES APANA, Mayor, County of Maui; and MARYANNE KUSAKA, Mayor, County of Kauai,

Employers.

CASE NOS.: I-02-84a
I-03-84b
I-04-84c
I-06-84d
I-08-84e
I-09-84f
I-13-84g

ORDER NO. 1752

ORDER ACKNOWLEDGING IMPASSE AND APPOINTING A MEDIATOR

On August 30, 1999, the HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION, AFSCME, LOCAL 152, AFL-CIO (HGEA), by and through its representative, filed a written notification to the Hawaii Labor Relations Board (Board) that an impasse had been reached in contract negotiations for employees in bargaining units 02, 03, 04, 06, 08, 09, and 13. The HGEA requested that the Board issue a joint declaration of impasse for the seven (7) bargaining units and to further order that mediation and arbitration be conducted jointly.

The Board hereby acknowledges receipt of HGEA's notification that an impasse exists in contract negotiations for Units 02, 03, 04, 06, 08, 09, and 13.
To assist the parties, the Board has asked the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service to provide a mediator to assist the parties in the voluntary 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 31, 1999

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

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