

STATE OF HAWAII

HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of)	CASE NO. INV-01-01/S-01-59
JEREMY HARRIS, Mayor, City and County)	ORDER NO. 1970
of Honolulu,)	
Public Employer,)	ORDER DENYING UPW'S MOTION
and)	TO PERMIT DEPOSITIONS AND
UNITED PUBLIC WORKERS, AFSCME,)	SCHEDULING WITNESSES FOR
LOCAL 646, AFL-CIO,)	HEARING
Exclusive)	
Representative.)	

ORDER DENYING UPW'S MOTION TO PERMIT
DEPOSITIONS AND SCHEDULING WITNESSES FOR HEARING

On November 29, 2000, the Exclusive Representative UNITED PUBLIC WORKERS, AFSCME, LOCAL 646, AFL-CIO (UPW), by and through its attorney, filed a Motion to Permit Depositions with the Hawaii Labor Relations Board (Board).

The UPW has requested leave to take the depositions of: 1) Donald Gates, Assistant Chief of EMS - Operations regarding data on repair work performed on the Ambulance Fleet at private service stations and the Emergency Services Department; and 2) Greg Leyson, Vehicle Maintenance Inspector, the employee in the bargaining unit 01 position requested in the petition in the above matter.

On November 30, 2000, the UPW called witnesses listed in three related petitions filed by the Public Employer, JEREMY HARRIS, Mayor, City and County of Honolulu, but none were identified for the Department of Emergency Services petition. As such, in lieu of depositions, the Board will allow the UPW to call Donald Gates and Greg Leyson as witnesses to testify before the Board on Saturday, December 9, 2000 to begin either before or after the completion of the nine witnesses presently scheduled to appear in the petition for the Department of Environmental Services, INV-01-01/S-01-65. For this reason, the Board hereby denies the UPW's motion to permit depositions of these two witnesses. The Public Employer is expected to use his best efforts to arrange for the appearance of both witnesses as scheduled above.

The closing arguments for this petition will follow the examination of witnesses scheduled for December 9, 2000.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii _____ December 5, 2000 _____.

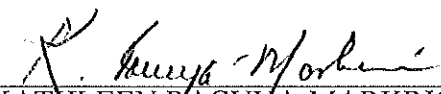
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