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TO: Public Utilities Commission
465 S. King Street, Rm 103
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RE: Docket No. 03-0372, Instituting a Proceeding to Investigate Competitive Bidding for New Generating Capacity in Hawaii

We are enclosing the following:

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COUNTY OF KAUA'I'S STATEMENT OF POSITION

This Statement of Position is filed pursuant to Order No. 21575, filed on January 28, 2005. The County of Kaua'i (County), participant in this docket, will limit its participation to commenting on the positions. Due to limited County resources, our participation must be limited to commenting on the positions proposed by the Kaua'i Island Utility Cooperative (KIUC) or any other party, as they affect the ratepayers and owners of KIUC. At this time, the sole comment by the County is that the Commission should require KIUC's proposed integrated resource plan and demand side management (DSM) framework¹ to include any changes necessitated by this docket. The County has no other affirmative position in this docket, but would like to express its

¹ KIUC proposed a revised IRP and DSM framework in Docket No. 02-0060, filed on December 23, 2004.

support for utility implementation of the renewable portfolio requirements of Hawai'i
Revised Statutes §§ 269-91 to -95.

Dated: Līhu'e, Kaua'i, Hawai'i, March 7, 2005.



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