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DOT Land Matters State of Hawaii Honolulu, Hawaii

ISSUANCE OF A REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR USE OF A SAIL PLANE HANGAR FOR STORAGE AND MAINTENANCE OF AIRCRAFT CIVIL AIR PATROL KAWAIHAPAI AIRFIELD, WAIALUA, HAWAII OAHU TAX MAP KEY: (1) 6-8-014:001 (PORTION)

## APPLICANT:

Civil Air Patrol (CAP), whose mailing address is 419 Lele Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96819.

#### **LEGAL REFERENCE:**

Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), Section 26-19 and 171-2, as amended.

# **LOCATION AND TAX MAP KEY:**

A portion of Kawaihapai Airfield, Waialua, Island of Oahu, State of Hawaii, identified by Tax Map Key: 1<sup>st</sup> Division, 6-8-014:001 (portion).

## AREA:

Building/Room No. 403-104, containing an area of approximately 1,878 square feet, as shown and delineated on the attached map labeled Exhibit A.

#### **ZONING:**

State Land Use District: Agriculture City and County of Honolulu LUO: AG-2

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# LAND TITLE STATUS:

Ceded land, which the State of Hawaii is currently leasing the land from the United States of America.

## **CHARACTER OF USE:**

CAP will use the Sail Plane Hangar for storage and maintenance of aircraft (2001 Blanik L23, Tail No. N-387BA), to conduct orientation flights.

### **COMMENCEMENT DATE:**

To be determined by the Director of Transportation at a later date.

#### MONTHLY RENTAL:

Not Applicable (N/A).

#### SECURITY DEPOSIT:

N/A.

## CHAPTER 343, HRS - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

The subject land area is covered by the revised and updated Environmental Assessment for the Dillingham Airfield Master Plan and FAR Part 150 Noise Compatibility Program project, referenced as State Contract No. 26985, State Project No. AO2011-01. This Environmental Assessment evaluated the environmental effects of the recommended Dillingham Airfield Master Plan to meet existing and forecast general aviation demands and was prepared for the State of Hawaii, Department of Transportation (HDOT).

## DCCA VERIFICATION:

Place of business registration confirmed:

N/A

Registered business name confirmed:

N/A

Good standing confirmed:

N/A

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#### **REMARKS**:

HDOT proposes to issue a month-to-month revocable permit to CAP for use of a Sail Plane Hangar for storage and maintenance of aircraft, situated at Kawaihapai Airfield at no charge based on Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Circular 5190.6B-17.19 Exception for Military Aeronautical Units.

FAA Circular 5190.6B-17.19 Exception for Military Aeronautical Units states in part, "The FAA acknowledges that many airports provide facilities to military units with aeronautical missions at nominal lease rates. The FAA does not consider this practice inconsistent with the requirement for a self-sustaining airport rate structure... The search and rescue (SAR) and disaster relief roles played by Coast Guard, the U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, and the Civil Air Patrol are also recognized as a prime aeronautical role. These units generally provide services that directly benefit airport operators and safety."

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Based on this submittal, and testimony and facts presented, the HDOT recommends the Director of Transportation finds that approving the issuance of a month-to-month revocable permit to CAP, including its conditions and rent, will serve the best interests of the State.

Respectfully submitted,

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Deputy Director of Transportation for Airports

Attachment

