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AIR-PM 25.0434

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DOT Land Matters State of Hawaii Honolulu, Hawaii

ISSUANCE OF A REVOCABLE PERMIT FOR IMPROVED, PAVED LAND FOR STORAGE OF GROUND SERVICE EQUIPMENT UNITED AIRLINES, INC.
ELLISON ONIZUKA KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AT KEAHOLE TAX MAP KEY: (3) 7-3-043: PORTION OF 003 HAWAII

# **APPLICANT**:

United Airlines, Inc. (United), whose business address is 223 South Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

# **LEGAL REFERENCE**:

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

# LOCATION AND TAX MAP KEY:

Portion of Ellison Onizuka Kona International Airport at Keahole (KOA), Kailua-Kona, Island of Hawaii, identified by Tax Map Key: 3<sup>rd</sup> Division, 7-3-043: Portion of 003.

#### **AREAS:**

Area/Space No. 617-104, containing an area of approximately 4,782 square feet of improved, paved land,

Area/Space No. 617-120, containing an area of approximately 561 square feet of improved, paved land, and

Area/Space No. 617-121, containing an area of approximately 408 square feet of improved, paved land, as shown and delineated on the attached Exhibit A.

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### ZONING:

State Land Use District: Urban & Conservation

County of Hawaii: Industrial (MG-1a) and Open

# LAND TITLE STATUS:

Section 5(a) lands of the Hawaii Admission Act: <u>Ceded</u>
DHHL 30% entitlement lands pursuant to Hawaii Admission Act YES\_\_\_\_ NO X

### **CURRENT USE STATUS:**

Land presently encumbered by Governors Executive Order No. 3074, dated August 20, 1981, setting aside 4,204.10 acres designated as KOA under the control and management of the State of Hawaii Department of Transportation (HDOT) for Airport purposes.

# CHARACTER OF USE:

United will use the space for storage of ground service equipment as part of its signatory airline operation.

# **COMMENCEMENT DATE:**

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

# **MONTHLY RENTAL**:

\$1,643.83 (\$3.43 per square foot per annum, as determined from the HDOT Schedule of Rates and Charges established by appraisal of Airports property statewide).

#### SECURITY DEPOSIT:

\$4,931.49, or three times the monthly rental in effect.

### DCCA VERIFICATION:

Place of business registration confirmed:	YES X	NO
Registered business name confirmed:	YES X	NO
Good standing confirmed:	YES X	NO

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## CHAPTER 343, HRS - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

The HDOT deems the action as de minimis and exempts it from the preparation of an exemption notice in accordance with HAR, Section 11-200.1-16(b). Type 8, Part 1: HDOT administrative activities and operations that would not result in direct, indirect or cumulative adverse impacts to the environment, 8.h., Creation or extension of leases, revocable permits or easements of property for continuing aeronautical or maritime uses or complementary purposes.

# **REMARKS**:

HDOT proposes to issue a month-to-month revocable permit to United for storage of ground service equipment as part of its signatory airline operation.

# **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 United, including its conditions and rent, will serve the best interests of the State.

Respectfully submitted,

**CURT T. OTAGURO** 

Deputy Director of Transportation for Airports

Attachment

