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Dear Mr. Lim:

DETERMINATION OF PRE-EXISTING LOTS Puumoi, South Hilo, Island of Hawaii, Hawaii TMK: (3) 2-7-008:100

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 24, 2004, and documents regarding the subject matter.

Please be advised that we have reviewed the documents submitted, our department records, as well as those of the Real Property Tax Division, and determined that the subject parcel consists of two (2) separate legal lots of record:

- 1) Land Patent S-8569, Land Commission Award 4709-B to Kahele (0.85 acres), and
- 2) Portion of Royal Patent 7999, Land Commission Award 6247 (7.27 acres).

It is our understanding that, based on this information provided regarding pre-existing lots, you may be submitting an application for consolidation and resubdivision of the subject parcels which would result in the development of specific metes and bounds for the subdivided lots. If consolidation and resubdivision is not the intent, you may want to have a modern metes and bounds survey be conducted for a more accurate and current land area determination and that a map reflecting this information may be submitted for certification.

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Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

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