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#### DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES

200 S. HIGH STREET WAILUKU, MAUI, HAWAII 96793

February 18, 1992

Honorable Linda Crockett Lingle Mayor, County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

For transmittal to:

Mr. Robert H. Nakasone, Chairman Charter Review Commission County of Maui Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Mr. Nakasone:

Pursuant to your request for a synopsis of the operations of the Department of Personnel Services, we transmit the following information:

- 1. Overview of the department's role and responsibilities. See Attachment 1.
  - 2. Functional Chart. See Attachment 2.
- 3. Organizational chart of department personnel. See Attachment 3.
- 4. Annual report for the fiscal year 1990-1991. See Attachment 4.

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Attachments



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# DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL SERVICES ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

## Organization:

Consists of a Civil Service Commission appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the County Council, a Director of Personnel Services appointed by the Commission, and a staff of thirteen employees at present.

## Functions and Responsibilities of the Department:

- 1. <u>Classification and Pay Administration</u>—Position classification is the systematic grouping of similar positions into classes for convenience in personnel management and administration such as recruitment, testing, pay administration, training, budgeting, etc.
  - 2. Recruitment and Examination--Major activities of these functions are:
    - a. Recruiting applicants for County employment,
- b. Constructing, administering, scoring, and evaluating examinations for civil service positions, and
- c. Establishing and maintaining eligible lists of candidates for civil service positions.
- 3. <u>Transactions and Records</u>--Responsible for verification and certification of various personnel transactions such as adjustments in compensation of employees following their promotion, demotion, etc. Maintain centralized personnel files of all employees.
- 4. <u>Employee Development and Training</u>--Assist operating departments in developing and implementing appropriate employee training programs; administer the County's service and incentive awards program.
- 5. <u>Collective Bargaining</u>--Represent Employer (Mayor) at the bargaining table and in the contract administration process which includes interpreting collective bargaining agreements and advocating employer's position in contract arbitrations.
- 6. Workers' Compensation and Safety--Overall administration of County loss control/safety program including monitoring of workers' compensation activity, work rehabilitation program, and County temporary disability insurance program.
- 7. Special Projects--Monitoring Fair Labor Standards compliance; conducting new employee orientation sessions; conducting exit interview program; developing DPS computer system enhancement; conducting administrative studies to evaluate effectiveness and adequacy of departmental programs.