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Mr. Byron Fujimoto Jas. W. Glover, Ltd. 890 Leilani Street Hilo, HI 96720

Dear Mr. Fujimoto:

Subject: Approval of Botanical Survey

Applicant: Jas. W. Glover, Ltd.

LUC Special Permit No. 14-404 (Docket No. SPP 14-000162)

Tax Map Key: (3) 2-1-013:004, South Hilo, Hawai'i

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This letter is to inform you that the Planning Department has approved the report titled *Botanical Survey* of a 60-acre Portion of TMK 2-1-003:004, Honohononui, South Hilo District, Island of Hawai'i conducted by Geometrician Associates, LLC in June 2017. Please note the TMK number shown throughout the report is incorrect, although the contents of the report relates to the correct property, TMK (3) 2-1-013:004. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service reviewed the report which indicated that no threatened or endangered plant species were found and there is no critical habitat in the proposed project action area, thus no mitigation is required.

Condition 11 of the Special Permit has been satisfied.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Maija Jackson of this office at 961-8159 or Maija.Jackson@hawaiicounty.gov.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL YEE

Planning Director

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cc: State Land Use Commission

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Dear Mr. Fujimoto:

Subject: 2017 Annual Progress Report

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Thank you for your letter dated August 2, 2017 that submitted the 2017 annual progress report to comply with Condition 16 of the subject Special Permit. We appreciate the thoroughness of the report. Based upon review of our records, the report accurately details the progress of project compliance with the required conditions of approval. Our understanding is that the applicant intends to begin quarrying activities shortly after October 1, 2017 to avoid any potential adverse impacts to Hawaiian hoary bats and Hawaiian hawks. Please be aware that Conditions 8, 9 and 10 must be complied with beyond 2017 for the life of the permit.

The next annual progress report is due on or before August 26, 2018.

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