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State of Hawaii
LAND USE COMMISSION

Mr. Robert R. Way
Planning Director
City and County of Honolulu
629 Pohukaina Street
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. Way:

Recently the Navy learned of a proposed quarry operation to be operated by Pacific Concrete and Rock Co., Ltd. at Puu Makakilo.

As shown on the enclosed sketch, the quarry will be located within one quarter mile from the Navy's water supply and distribution system for the Naval Air Station, Barbers Point. The water system consists of two reservoirs, a tunnel and pipeline systems. We are deeply concerned that damage to the water system and personal injuries could result if blasting is allowed.

The Navy cannot support the quarry if the possibility exists that Navy facilities may be damaged. It is therefore requested that final project approval be withheld until engineering studies can be conducted to determine that the quarry will not adversely affect the Navy's water system. We will work closely with the operator to attempt to develop a quarry operation that will be compatible with Navy interests.

Sincerely yours,



J. L. BUTTS
Rear Admiral, U. S. Navy
Commandant

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- (1) Sketch of Proposed
Quarry & Navy Water
System

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SKETCH OF PROPOSED MAKAKILO QUARRY AND NAVY WATER SYSTEM

