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August 14, 1996

Mr. Walter Ah Hee
Construction Chairman
Tenrikyo Kakako Kyokai
218 Hoomalu Street
Hilo, HI 96720

Dear Mr. Ah Hee:

Use Permit No. 65
Applicant: Tenrikyo Kakako Kyokai
Permitted Use: Establishment of Church and Related Improvements
Tax Map Key: 2-5-60:18

The above-referenced Use Permit was approved on January 10, 1989. This permit was approved subject to, among others, compliance with conditions. Specifically, Condition No. 8 states the following:

> "If, in the determination of the Planning Director, the church's use of Iiwipolena Road negatively impacts the community in the future, the Planning Department shall be authorized to require that driveways accessing Iiwipolena Road be closed and that access be taken from Hokulani Street."

We have received on July 9, 1996, a letter from Thomas J. and Bonnie A. Petersen stating their concerns and objections to the use of Iiwipolena Road for access purposes by the church. Subsequently, at the public hearing on July 11, 1996, they again expressed their concerns and objections to the use of Iiwipolena Road as it is a private road and such use will increase liability. They have indicated that access via said road for

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church purposes has presently and will further negatively impact the area as well as the condition of the road. For your information, we have enclosed a copy of the letter dated July 9, 1996 from Thomas J. and Bonnie A. Petersen.

Based on the foregoing and in accordance with Condition No. 8, we are hereby notifying you that access to the subject property for church purposes, during construction and when the church is open, be directly from Hokulani Street, the County roadway. Further, any existing access ways from Iiwipolena Road onto the subject property be closed with permanent material such as posts and chain or chainlink fencing. Such permanent closure shall be in place on or prior to September 15, 1996.

Should you have any questions on this matter, please feel free to contact Alice Kawaha or Susan Gagorik of this office at 961-8288.

Sincerely,

VIRGINIA GOLDSTEIN
Planning Director

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Enclosure

xc: Honorable Stephen K. Yamashiro, Mayor
Planning Commission
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Thomas J. and Bonnie A. Petersen
Reverend Miyoko Kimura