IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

STATE OF HAWAI'I, Respondent-Appellee

VS.

COLSON KANEKOA, Petitioner-Appellant

and

TALAMOTU LEIATO, also known as Talalemotu Leiato, Defendant

CERTIORARI TO THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS (CR. NO. 98-1933)

ORDER DENYING APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI (By Moon, C.J., for the court1)

Petitioner-Appellant's application for writ of certiorari filed on March 30, 2001, is hereby denied.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, April 9, 2001.

FOR THE COURT:

Chief Justice

Stuart N. Fujioka of Nishioka & Fujioka for petitioner-appellant on the writ

¹ Considered by: Moon, C.J., Levinson, Nakayama, Ramil, and Acoba, JJ.