NO. 25101

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

STATE OF HAWAI'I, Respondent/Plaintiff-Appellee

vs.

MARGARET H. KAHAWAI, Petitioner/Defendant-Appellant

CERTIORARI TO THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS (FC-CR NO. 01-1-0394)

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI (By: Acoba, J. for the court)

Upon consideration of the application for a writ of certiorari filed on January 16, 2004 by Petitioner/Defendant-Appellant Margaret H. Kahawai, the same is hereby granted.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, January 22, 2004.

FOR THE COURT:

Associate Justice

Joyce K. Matsumori-Hoshijo, for petitioner/defendantappellant, on the writ.