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**DOH CITES ROLLOFFS HAWAI'I INC. FOR
DEPOSIT BEVERAGE CONTAINER VIOLATIONS**

HONOLULU – The Hawai'i State Department of Health (DOH) Solid & Hazardous Waste Branch has filed a Notice and Finding of Violation against Rolloffs Hawai'i, Inc., dba RRR Recycling Services Hawai'i (RRR Recycling), for violations of State deposit beverage container requirements.

From February 9, 2006, through May 23, 2007, Rolloffs Hawai'i, Inc. violated numerous deposit beverage container requirements at multiple certified redemption centers in Honolulu. Rolloffs Hawai'i, Inc. failed to remove deposit beverage containers from customers' bags, boxes, or bins for inspection prior to weighing and redeeming the containers; failed to inspect beverage containers for the required HI-5 label; accepted customers' reported container counts without verifying their accuracy; failed to post the refund values for each type of container material according to the containers' per pound rates as issued by the DOH; and failed to post certification signs and hours of operation that could be viewed by the public.

DOH performed multiple inspections at several Rolloffs Hawai'i, Inc. facilities, performed follow-up inspections, and sent the company warning letters prior to assessing an administrative penalty. DOH has assessed an administrative penalty against Rolloffs Hawai'i, Inc. in the amount of \$32,140 for its failure to comply with deposit beverage container requirements. Rolloffs Hawai'i Inc. has requested an administrative hearing to contest the Complaint and Order.

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