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## DEPT COMM NO. 31

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

**COUNTY OF MAUI** 

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January 6, 2006

Via Certified Mail

The Honorable Colleen Hanabusa Senate President The Senate Hawaii State Capitol, Room 003 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Senator Hanabusa:

Pursuant to Act 242, relating to Uniform Information Practices, during the 2006 year ending December 31, 2006, the Department did not suspend any Police Officer for 1) malicious use of physical force, 2) mistreatment of prisoners, or 4) cowardice. However a Police Officer was suspended and discharged for 3) use and/or possession of drugs and/or parcotics.

Attached is a summary of all incidents and violations of Department Policies and procedures which resulted in the suspension or discharge of Police Officers during the period from January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006 with the following comments:

- Although listed separately, one incident involved two Police Officers.
- While not specified, discipline imposed may be progressive whereby the prior disciplinary histories of an employees are considered.
- The discipline imposed may have been be subsequently amended as a result of the grievance process.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (808) 244-6300.

Sincerely,

Thomas Phillips Chief of Police

Attachments

cc: Mayor Charmaine Tavares