UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION December 23, 2014

ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc. File No. 1-08503

Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. File No. 1-04955

Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc. and Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibits to a Form 10-Q filed on November 6, 2014.

Based on representations by Hawaiian Electric Industries, Inc. and Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibit(s) will not be released to the public for the time period(s) specified:

Exhibit 10.1

through December 31, 2016

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

Brent J. Fields Secretary