

## **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

## News Release

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## DOH CITES MEHANA BREWING COMPANY FOR HI-5 PROGRAM VIOLATIONS

HONOLULU — The Hawaii State Department of Health (DOH), Solid & Hazardous Waste Branch, has filed a Complaint and Order against Mehana Brewing Co. (MBC) for violations of Hawaii's deposit beverage container program. MBC submitted late deposit and container fee payments and reports required for the months of January through August 2006.

MBC, a deposit beverage distributor, manufactures deposit beverages for sale in the state of Hawaii and is located at 275 E. Kawili Street, Hilo, Hawaii. DOH assessed a penalty of \$1,479 against MBC for its violations, and in response to DOH's Complaint and Order, MBC has paid the entire penalty amount, submitted all past due Monthly Distributor reports, and made all delinquent distributor payments owed to the department.

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