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Former Honolulu Police Lieutenant Charged with Theft of Wages While Commander of Airport Detail

Felito Laboy, Jr., 57, a former Honolulu Police Lieutenant assigned to the Airport Detail at the Honolulu International Airport was charged by the Attorney General today via complaint in the Circuit Court of the First Circuit. The complaint filed this afternoon charges Mr. Laboy with Theft in the Second Degree (C felony) for theft of hourly wages during the period of February 16, 1999 to and including July 28, 1999. The charge is the result of a joint investigation by the Department of Transportation, Airport Division and the Department of the Attorney General, Investigations Division which started in July of 1999 after allegations that Mr. Laboy failed to actually work during hours for which he was paid.

The complaint serves to formally accuse Mr. Laboy, but he is presumed innocent until proven guilty at trial or upon a plea of guilty or no contest.

Arraignment and Plea and Change of Plea is scheduled before Judge Richard K. Perkins on September 20, 2001 at 8:30 a.m.
