NO. 25148

IN THE INTERMEDIATE COURT OF APPEALS

OF THE STATE OF HAWAI'I

STATE OF HAWAI'I, Plaintiff-Appellee, v. OSOVALE ATAPUAI, Defendant-Appellant, and FAIVAE TUPUIAVAO, Defendant

APPEAL FROM THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST CIRCUIT (Cr. No. 96-0747)

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION AND VACATING ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL FOR LACK OF APPELLATE JURISDICTION (By: Burns, C.J., Watanabe, and Foley, JJ.)

Upon consideration of Defendant-Appellant Osovale Atapuai's timely filed August 11, 2003 Motion for Reconsideration of this court's July 30, 2003 Order Dismissing Appeal for Lack of Appellate Jurisdiction and the records and files herein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion is granted, the July 30, 2003 Order Dismissing Appeal for Lack of Appellate Jurisdiction is vacated, and a new opinion shall follow.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, August 14, 2003.

Richard Naiwieha Wurdeman on the motion.

Chief Judge

Associate Judge

Associate Judge