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### **Aqua to Manage Aloha Surf Hotel**

HONOLULU, Hawaii, January 3, 2005 – Aqua Hotels has assumed management of the 204-room Aloha Surf Hotel in Waikiki following its recent sale to CP Aloha Surf, LLC of San Francisco. The hotel has been renamed Aqua Aloha Surf.

As part of extensive guest room upgrades, wireless inter-net service and flat screen TVs will be offered in all guest rooms. Aqua Spa services will also be offered. The hotel is Aqua's fifth Waikiki property. A sixth hotel, Aqua Palms, opens January 15, 2005 across from Hilton Hawaiian Village.

The hotel was previously managed by Aston. Aqua is a resort management firm owned by Hawaii hotelier Mike Paulin.