



THE SENATE
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January 22, 1981

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The Honorable Carlos S. Camacho
Governor
Commonwealth of the Northern
Mariana Islands
Saipan, CM 96950

MINORITY LEADER
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Re: Executive Order No. 19 (Marianas/Guam Liaison
Office)

SAN AND ISLANDS NORTH
Herman R. Guerrero
Pedro P. Tenorio

Dear Governor Camacho:

TINIAN AND AGUIGUAN
Serafin M. Dela Cruz
John U. Hofschneider
Ignacio K. Quichocho

Pursuant to Section 15 of Article III of the
Constitution of the Northern Mariana Islands, each
house of the Legislature is given the opportunity
to modify or disapprove an executive order by a
majority vote of its members within sixty (60) days
after submission.

Please be advised that on January 21, 1981, the
Senate of the Second Northern Marianas Commonwealth
Legislature, by a majority vote of its members, voted
to disapprove Executive Order No. 19 in its entirety.
A copy of Senate Standing Committee Report No. 2-78 is
attached for your information.

Very truly yours,

Sen. Benjamin T. Manglona
Acting President of the Senate

Attachment

xc: Speaker Joaquin I. Pangelinan,
w/attachment

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
EXECUTIVE ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 19

SUBJECT: Establishment of a Marianas/Guam Liaison Office

WHEREAS, the Governor is responsible for the faithful execution of the laws; and

WHEREAS, the Governor may make changes in the allocation of offices, agencies and instrumentalities and in their functions and duties as are necessary for efficient administration; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Governor to maximize an interchange of ideas and information with the Government of Guam and such other agencies of the United States Government as maintain offices in Guam; and

WHEREAS, the administration of the laws will be enhanced by establishing a liaison office in Guam; and

WHEREAS, the liaison office established hereby is necessary for efficient administration;

NOW, THEREFORE:

Section 1. There is hereby established within the Office of the Governor a Marianas/Guam Liaison Office.

Section 2. The Governor may employ a Marianas/Guam Liaison Officer to act as the official representative of the Office of the Governor in carrying out the instructions of the Governor in communicating with, coordinating with and obtaining from agencies of the Territory of Guam and the Federal Government in Guam, and other organizations, public and private, information regarding all matters pertaining to the Executive Branch of the Government of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands and the faithful execution of the laws.

Section 3. The Governor shall have the necessary authority to reallocate such funds from within the Executive Branch as are required to establish the Marianas/Guam Liaison Office, rent office space, obtain sufficient office equipment and employ such staff as may be needed to implement this Executive Order.

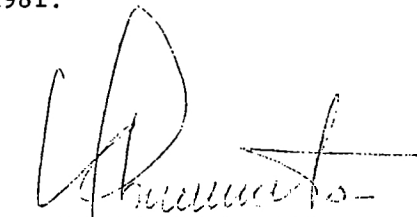
Section 4. The Governor is authorized to employ such staff, including the Marianas/Guam Liaison Officer, as may be required to assist the Office of the Governor in performing its functions pursuant to this Executive Order and pursuant to budgetary appropriation. All such staff shall be within the Civil Service. However, during such time as there is no Civil Service Commission which can perform its duties pursuant to Section 5 of Public Law No. 1-9, all such staff may be hired by Personnel Services Contract which shall expire upon term or by act of law when the Civil Service Commission approves positions for this purpose.

Section 5. The duties and functions of the Marianas/Guam Liaison Office shall be only such as are related to the functions of the Executive Branch of the Government of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

Section 6. If any provision of this Executive Order or the application of any such provision shall be held invalid, by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Executive Order or any rules, regulations or orders promulgated pursuant thereto or the application of such provisions, regulations, rules or orders to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby.

Section 7. This Executive Order shall become effective sixty (60) days from the date of submission to the Legislature for approval.

DATED: January 7, 1981.



CARLOS S. CAMACHO
Governor