



TERRITORY OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AGAÑA, GUAM 96910
U. S. A.
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2000-08

DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY FOR EMERGENCY PROCUREMENT, FOR EMERGENCY EXPENSES, RELATIVE TO THE PROVISION OF GOODS AND SERVICES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND TAXATION DUE TO EARTHQUAKE DAMAGE TO THEIR PREMISES AT TIYAN.

WHEREAS, the premises at Tiyan, currently occupied by the Department of Revenue and Taxation, were damaged in earthquake activity on February 26, 2000, to the extent that one building needs to be evacuated and the second floor contents of two other buildings should be relocated; and

WHEREAS, engineers have examined the premises of Buildings 13-1, 13-2, and 13-3, and found the damage to 13-2 to be extensive and the damage to 13-1 and 13-3 to less extensive; and

WHEREAS, the personnel and effects of Building 13-2, and the personnel and effects on the second floor of Buildings 13-1 and 13-3, will be temporarily relocated, pursuant to engineering recommendations;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ, I Maga'lahaen Guåhan, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, and the laws of Guam, do hereby order the following:

1) **Declaration of state of emergency.** Whereas the Governor, I Maga'lahaen Guåhan, established a state of emergency on Guam by declaring Buildings 13-1, 13-2, and 13-3 to be damaged due to recent earthquakes, and the contents of one building and the second floor contents of two other buildings need to be relocated.

2) **Emergency procurement and emergency expenses.** Pursuant to §5215 of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated, authorizing emergency procurement upon executive order, and pursuant to §22402 of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated authorizing the Governor to utilize up to Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) of outstanding appropriations within the General Fund for expenses caused by civil defense, public safety or health emergencies, the Director of the Bureau of Budget and Management Research is authorized to transfer to the Department of Revenue and Taxation an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) from outstanding appropriations within the General Fund for immediate procurement by the Department of Revenue and Taxation to provide goods and services relative to those affected by damage from recent earthquakes.

3) **Further authorization for emergency procurement unnecessary.** The authorization for the certification, approval, and expenditure of necessary funds pursuant to §5215 of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated and §22402 of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated, shall be this Executive Order, subject only to the exhaustion of identified funds. Any funds not so expended shall revert to the General Fund.

4) **Purpose of emergency procurement and expenditure of funds.** Emergency procurement may be used for procurement of any goods and services provided by the Department of Revenue and Taxation in the provision of goods and services of the Department to the people of Guam during and after the damage from

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recent earthquakes and continuing for Thirty (30) days after the date of this executive order as provided in §5215 of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagåtña, Guam this 27th day of March,
2000.

CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ
I Maga'lahaen Guåhan
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

MADELEINE Z. BORDALLO
Segunda na Maga'lahaen Guåhan
Lieutenant Governor of Guam

