



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2005-32

RELATIVE TO DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY TO EXPEDITE THE RESPONSE TO THE NORTHWEST AIRLINES (NWA) FLIGHT NO. 074 ACCIDENT UPON TOUCHDOWN ON THE MAIN RUNWAY OF THE A.B. WON PAT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, GUAM ON AUGUST 19, 2005.

WHEREAS, at approximately 2:00 p.m. on Friday, August 19, 2005, the front landing gear of a 747-200 airline jet, NWA Flight No. 074 en route from Narita, Japan to Hagatna, Guam, encountered a problem upon touchdown into to A.B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam ("GIAA"), causing the jet to skid to the end of the Airport's primary runway;

WHEREAS, the NWA Flight No. 074 accident caused complete shut down of all of GIAA's flight operations for a minimum of six (6) hours, and all scheduled flights had to either be cancelled or diverted to other locations, including Andersen Air Force Base and the Francisco C. Ada Saipan International Airport in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands;

WHEREAS, in response to NWA Flight No. 074 accident, the Emergency Operations Center at the Office of Civil Defense was activated and GIAA's emergency procedures and personnel were immediately activated to respond to the situation, thereby necessitating the deployment of equipment, personnel, overtime costs and other response and recovery expenses required in order to assure the immediate evacuation of the passengers of Northwest Airlines Flight No. 074 and the safety of the public and all involved, as well as the accommodation of the scheduled incoming and outgoing flights that were affected by the aircraft accident.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FELIX P. CAMACHO, I Maga Lahen Guahan, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, do order:

1. **Declaration of State of Emergency.** A state of emergency exists due to the aircraft accident of Northwest Airlines Flight No. 074 accident upon its touchdown into the A.B. Won Pat International Airport, Guam on August 19, 2005.
2. **Emergency Procurement and emergency expenses.** Pursuant to 5 G.C.A. § 5215, authorizing emergency procurement upon executive order, this Executive Order shall authorize emergency procurement to Guam International Airport Authority ("GIAA"), Guam Police Department ("GPD") and Guam Fire Department ("GFD") for overtime, and goods and services necessary to respond appropriately to the Northwest Airlines Flight No. 074 accident.
3. **Exemption from Overtime Prohibitions of Executive Order No. 95-11 and Executive Order No. 2005-28.** Notwithstanding the provisions of Executive Order No. 95-11 and Executive Order No. 2005-28, all employees to include exempt and non-exempt employees, of GIAA, GPD and GFD who responded to the emergency are authorized to receive overtime pay.
4. **Documentation of Expenses.** All department and agencies responding to the emergency are hereby instructed to keep appropriate documentation on all expenses pertaining to the emergency for inspection by the Executive and Legislative Branches and the Public Auditor of Guam.



SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagatna, Guam this 27 day of September, 2005.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Felix P. Camacho".

FELIX P. CAMACHO
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Governor of Guam