

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
Office of the Governor
Agana, Guam

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 67-15

RABIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the incidence of the disease of rabies in Guam has created an emergency situation; and

WHEREAS, due to its nature the disease can be found in all the communities of Guam; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that cooperation be had between the civilian and military communities so that through coordinated effort rabies may be controlled and finally eradicated;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, it is ordered as follows:

1. There is hereby established the Rabies Advisory Committee. The Committee shall be composed of seven members whom I shall appoint from the civilian and military communities of Guam. One of said members I shall designate chairman.

2. The objectives of the Rabies Advisory Committee shall be as follows:

(a) To evaluate and critique presently existing phases of the rabies control program as they apply to the overall effort for the eradication of the disease and to each respective jurisdiction. Any necessary changes which would guarantee the effectiveness and standardization of the island-wide program would be forwarded for the Governor's consideration.

(b) The formulation of a plan of operations which would standardize each jurisdiction's approach to the control


of rabies. These procedures would be clearly defined and acceptable to each of the participating jurisdictions. The policies, once manifested, would tend to guarantee a sustained effort in the program regardless of the unavoidable turnover of operational personnel. These policies will be necessary for the new personnel to understand the problems and would enable them to efficiently and effectively continue the endeavor.

(c) To serve as the Governor's reference and expert source regarding rabies. Synoptic written reports outlining the progress, need for basic change in approach and general information would be forwarded for the Governor's consideration and approval.

Dated this 26th day of SEPTEMBER, 1967.


DENVER DICKERSON
Acting Governor of Guam

ATTEST:


RUDOLPH G. SABLAN
Acting Secretary of Guam