

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 67-9

WHEREAS, a rabies epidemic currently exists in the Territory of Guam; and

WHEREAS, this constitutes a serious threat to the health of the people of the Territory of Guam; and

WHEREAS, a Public Health Emergency Condition due to rabies has been declared; and


WHEREAS, quarantine or embargo of dogs and cats constitutes a potent deterrent to the reintroduction of rabies to the territory; and

WHEREAS, Section 9620.11 (J) provides that whenever in the opinion of the Governor, it shall be necessary for the protection of the population of Guam against infectious or contagious diseases, he may, by Executive Order, suspend the importation of all or any class of animals for a limited time;

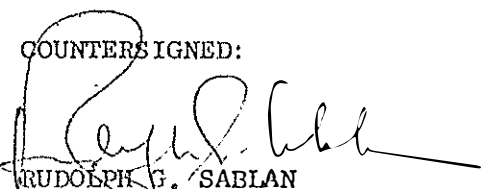
NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the foregoing, it is ordered as follows:

1. Effective immediately the importation of any dog or cat into the territory of Guam (except as stated below) is hereby prohibited.
2. This order shall not prohibit the importation of guide dogs for the blind or military guard dogs.
3. This order shall remain in effect until adequate quarantine facilities are constructed.

Issued and promulgated at Agana, Guam, this 3rd day of August, 1967.


MANUEL F. L. GUERRERO
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:


RUDOLPH G. SABLAN
Acting Secretary of Guam