

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 73-13

IMPLEMENTATION OF PUBLIC LAW 11-191
GUAM ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

WHEREAS, Public Law 11-191 established the Guam Environmental Protection Agency, and

WHEREAS, a number of responsibilities in this area were transferred to the new agency from existing governmental bodies; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary under the law to implement and provide support for the new agency;

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

1. All functions vested by law in the Guam Water Pollution Control Commission pursuant to Chapter XI of Title X of the Government Code of Guam, and the Air Pollution Control Commission pursuant to Chapter XII of Title X of the Government Code of Guam, and the responsibilities of the Director of Public Health and Social Services in the above two Chapters, are hereby transferred to the Guam Environmental Protection Agency.

2. The functions vested in the Director of Public Health and Social Services pursuant to Subchapter R of Chapter VI of Title X of the Government Code of Guam in its entirety and Sections 9960.6, 9960.7 and 9660.12 of said Code, are hereby transferred to the Agency.

3. The functions vested in the Chief Officer of the Public Utility Agency of Guam and the Director of Public Health and Social Services pursuant to Chapter V of Title XXII of the Government Code of Guam are hereby transferred to the Agency.

4. The functions vested in the Director of Agriculture pursuant to Title LX and LXI of the Government Code of Guam are hereby transferred to the Agency.

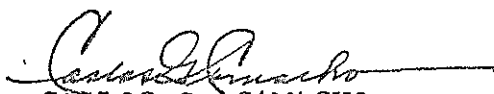
5. Office space and housekeeping functions shall be provided by the Department of Public Health and Social Services and other logistic support shall be provided by the Department of Administration. The services and facilities of departments, agencies, and instrumentalities of the government of Guam may be made available to the Agency in the exercise of its functions to the extent allowed by law.

6. All officers and employees of the Water Pollution Control Commission, the Air Pollution Control Commission, Department of Public Health and Social Services, the Public Utility Agency of Guam, and the Department of Agriculture who have performed exclusively the functions transferred by Section 9970.4 of this Chapter shall be transferred to the Agency.

7. The balance of all unexpended appropriations and all assets, property and records of the Guam Water Pollution Control Commission, the Air Pollution Control Commission, the Department of Public Health and Social Services, the Public Utility Agency of Guam, or the Department of Agriculture used or to be used for the functions transferred shall be transferred to the Agency.

8. This Order shall be effective immediately.

Signed at Agana, Guam this 7th day of March, 1973.


CARLOS G. SAMACHO
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:



Lieutenant Governor

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