

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 74-10

REPEAL AND RE-PROMULGATION OF QUARANTINE AND
PUBLIC HEALTH REGULATIONS RELATIVE TO INTER-
NATIONAL ENTRY TO GUAM

WHEREAS, development of a stable economy in Guam is dependent upon diversified industries such as tourism, construction, and manufacturing; and

WHEREAS, these industries, in turn, depend upon the Commercial Port of Guam and the International Airport and their ability to maintain status as international ports of entry; and

WHEREAS, such status requires that the Commercial Port and International Airport meet the minimum requirements of the "International Health Regulations", 1969 edition, adopted by the World Health Organization; and

WHEREAS, the present Quarantine Regulations for the Territory of Guam (Executive Order 3-57) were promulgated in 1957 and are now in conflict with current international regulations; and

WHEREAS, the United States Public Health Service has designated the Department of Public Health and Social Services of the Government of Guam as their agent concerning quarantine matters in the Territory of Guam;

NOW, THEREFORE, to assure that the economic development of Guam is not hindered by the Commercial Port of Guam or the Guam International Airport losing their status as international ports of entry, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, it is hereby ordered as follows:

1. Executive Order No. 3-57 relative to Public Health

Quarantine Regulations is hereby repealed.

2. The International Health Regulations, 1969 Edition adopted by the Twenty-Second World Health Assembly and any amendments, additions, or deletions thereto as may have been made up to the date of this Order are hereby adopted as the Quarantine Regulations of the Government of Guam. The above regulations are attached as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof.

3. By subsequent Executive Order the Governor will adopt such amendments, additions, deletions as may hereafter be made to the above International Health Regulations so as to ensure Guam's continuing adherence to the standards for an International Port of Entry as specified by the United States Public Health Service.

4. The Department of Public Health and Social Services shall be responsible for determining that every agency within the Government of Guam adheres to the International Health Regulations, and shall:

a. Develop a procedures manual, based upon current United States Public Health Service Procedures, for the guidance of all Government Agencies in carrying out public health quarantine requirements; and


b. Make inspections as necessary to determine that all authorized ports of entry comply with the International Health Regulations; and

c. Take samples as necessary to determine that the food, water, and sewage disposal provided for international travel meet the International Health Regulations; and

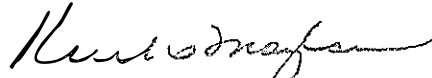
d. Provide auxillary rodent and mosquito control

programs for all ports of entry as required by the
International Health Regulations.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1974.


CARLOS G. CAMACHO
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:


KURT S. MOYLAN
Lieutenant Governor

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