

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 75-22

MOST HONORED CITIZENS

WHEREAS, during this time of continuing economic crisis, it is the policy of the government of Guam to encourage the island's citizens to pursue new directions in order to lessen the economic hardships that they are currently suffering; and

WHEREAS, those persons succeeding in developing new methods to stimulate the economy or ameliorate its debilitating effects on themselves and others deserve to be honored by their government, for they are truly today's pioneers;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICARDO J. BORDALLO, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, do hereby order as follows:

1. The Governor shall, upon recommendations by local citizens, civic and fraternal organizations, educational institutions, youth organizations, private and governmental boards, commissions and associations, Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners, persons in the Legislative and Judicial Branches of the Government of Guam, and any other interested persons or groups, select each year as Most Honored Citizens persons who meet the criteria set forth in paragraph (2) below, and award them suitably;

2. A Most Honored Citizen shall be a person who has demonstrated exemplary attitude and achievement, consonant with his own financial circumstances, in any of the following categories:

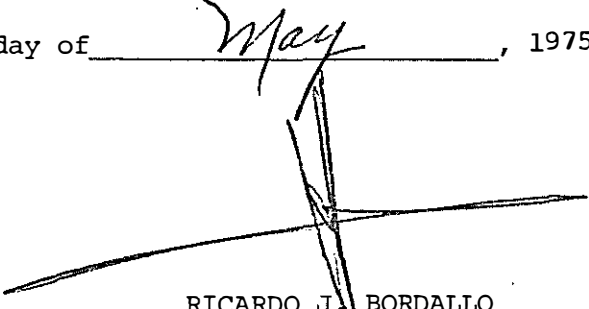
- (a) Farmers, either full or part-time;
- (b) Persons making themselves employable by replacing imported skills;
- (c) Persons who have implemented a new and successful business enterprise on the Island; and
- (d) Persons who have suggested programs which have resulted in cost savings in either the public or private sectors of the economy;

3. The Governor shall request recommendations for these awards at such time that he may be able to select and present them on Labor Day of each year in a manner and by means befitting the occasion;

4. The Governor shall perpetuate the Most Honored Citizens Awards as he deems appropriate; and


5. Any Orders heretofore issued in conflict with this Order are hereby repealed insofar as they so conflict.

DATED THIS 20th day of May, 1975.



RICARDO J. BORDALLO
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:



RUDOLPH G. SABLAN
Lieutenant Governor