GOVERNMENT OF GUAM Office of the Governor Agana, Guam

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 75-4

TRANSFER OF THE OFFICE OF CIVIL DEFENSE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Governor under Section 9 (c) of the Organic Act of Guam to examine from time to time the structure of the Executive Branch and determine and effect such changes as are necessary to promote effective management; and

WHEREAS, during times of disaster it is necessary that the Office of the Governor, the Office of Civil Defense, the Office of the Chief Commissioner and the village commissioners coordinate efforts to provide needed services to the people of Guam; and

WHEREAS, it has therefore been determined that the Office of Civil Defense, presently attached to the Department of Public Safety, could be more responsive to the people of Guam in time of emergency if such office were located in the Office of the Chief Commissioner, whereby there could be immediate dissemination of pertinent information through the consolidated effort of the Office and Municipal Commissioners:

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

- 1. The Office of Civil Defense is hereby transferred to the Office of the Chief Commissioner, within the Office of the Governor.
- 2. Such transfer shall in no way affect the manner in which the Office of Civil Defense is funded.
- 3. Any Executive Order heretofore promulgated in conflict herewith is hereby repealed insofar as any conflict is concerned.

4. This Order shall take effect February 15, 1975.

Issued and promulgated at Agana, Guam on this <u>31st</u> day of

January , 1975.

RJCARD J. BORDALLO Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

RUDOLRH G. SABLA Lieutenant Governor