

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 83-024

CREATION OF THE GUAM JUVENILE JUSTICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Government of Guam to effectively utilize the programs and projects regarding Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the Government of Guam to consult with representative segments of the community to insure that programs and projects regarding Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act meet the needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, the State Advisory Group for Juvenile Justice was previously created by Executive Order 80-11 to advise the Guam Criminal Justice Planning Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 has been subsequently amended; and

WHEREAS, the Guam Criminal Justice Planning Agency is no longer in existence; and

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

1. Executive Order 80-11 is hereby repealed in its entirety and the State Advisory Group for Juvenile Justice is hereby abolished.

2. The Department of Youth Affairs is hereby designated the State agency that shall be responsible for the administration of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Grant Program.

3. There is hereby established within the Executive Branch of the Government of Guam, the Guam Juvenile Justice Advisory Committee to carry out the purposes of Section 223(a)(3) of P.L. 93-415, the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention.

4. The Committee shall advise the Director of Youth Affairs regarding issues of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. The Committee shall not have the power to issue Federal subgrantee awards.

5. The Committee shall be appointed by the Governor and serve at his pleasure and shall consist of 15 residents of Guam who have training, experience, or special knowledge concerning the prevention and treatment of juvenile delinquency.

6. The Guam Juvenile Justice Advisory Committee shall include elected officials, representatives of local government, law enforcement, juvenile justice agencies, public agencies concerned with delinquency prevention and treatment, and representatives of private organizations concerned with delinquency prevention and treatment.

7. A majority of the members including the Chairman shall not be full-time employees of the Federal government or the Government of Guam.

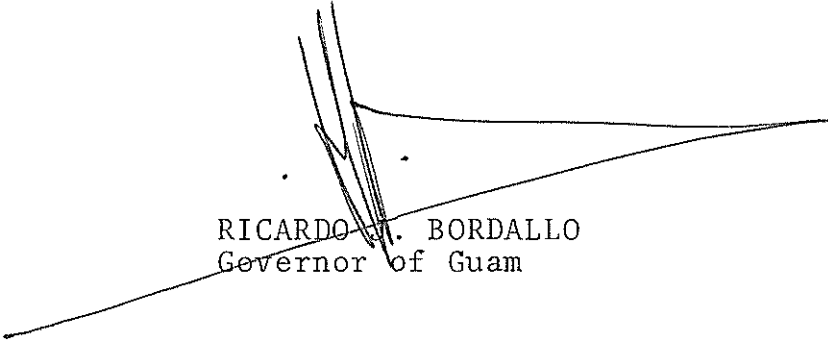
8. At least one-fifth of the members shall be under the age of 24 at the time of appointment and at least three members shall have been or shall currently be under the jurisdiction of the juvenile justice system.

9. Personnel hired by the Government of Guam for the purpose of administering the formula grant under the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act shall be employees of the Department of Youth Affairs.

10. All records and documents of the State Advisory Group of Juvenile Justice and Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Grant Program are hereby transferred to the Department of Youth Affairs.

This Order shall be effective upon approval of the
Governor.

Signed and promulgated at Agana, Guam this 26th day
of October, 1983.



RICARDO M. BORDALLO
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:



EDWARD D. REYES
Lieutenant Governor
of Guam