



TERRITORY OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
AGAÑA, GUAM 96910
U.S.A.

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 90-11

ESTABLISHING A SAFETY TASK FORCE FOR GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL


- WHEREAS, the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority, the only civilian hospital of the island, continues to improve its facilities and operations in order to regain accreditation from the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations; and
- WHEREAS, part of that re-accreditation process calls for GMHA to submit a Statement of Construction for the joint commission's review which would outline the hospital's fire protection systems, facilities layout and structural integrity; and
- WHEREAS, the hospital is undergoing construction to improve its facilities and operations for the people of Guam, and that it is timely to assess the hospital's current facilities and expansion; and
- WHEREAS, such a review would evaluate GMHA compliance with current Life Safety, Fire and Building Codes as well as environmental and occupational safety and health regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH F. ADA, Governor of the Territory of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, do hereby order:

1. A Joint Hospital Safety Task Force for the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority be established with members from the Governor's Office, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, the Guam Environmental Protection Agency, the Guam Fire Department, the Department of Public Works, Mercy International Health Services, and Taniguchi-Ruth and Associates architectural firm. GMHA Trustee Vince Santos shall also be a Task Force member.

2. GMH Administrator George Palican shall act as Task Force Chairman and implement corrective actions as necessitated by the Task Force findings.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory of Guam to be affixed in the City of Agana, this 17th day of MAY, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety.


JOSEPH F. ADA
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:


FRANK F. BLAS
Lieutenant Governor of Guam