



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
HAGÁTÑA, GUAM 96910
U. S. A.

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2010-04

RELATIVE TO DELEGATING TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE GUAM NATIONAL GUARD IN HIS CAPACITY AS DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS, THE AUTHORITY TO SIGN, ON BEHALF OF GUAM, THE NATIONAL GUARD MASTER COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT AND ITS APPENDICES

WHEREAS, the National Guard Bureau funding to Guam and the Guam National Guard requires certain Federal and local signatories to its Master Cooperative Agreement (MCA) and appendices thereto; and

WHEREAS, the various signatories presently include eight (8) representatives of the Guam National Guard and the Government of Guam respectively; and

WHEREAS, the numerous representatives presently acting as signatories cause delays in the execution of the MCA; and

WHEREAS, Federal regulations as to the execution of the MCA require only a minimum of signatures from the The Adjutant General, U.S. Property and Fiscal Officer for Guam, Guam National Guard legal counsel, and Guam Attorney General; and

WHEREAS, thirty (30) of the fifty-four (54) states and territories do not require their Governors to sign the MCA or its appendices but delegate this authority to their Adjutant Generals; and

WHEREAS, there is no Federal requirement that the Governor of Guam sign the MCA; and

WHEREAS, authorizing The Adjutant General to sign the MCA, in my place and for Guam, will help to expedite the execution of the MCA and its appendices; and

WHEREAS, there will be no resulting disadvantage to Guam by the delegation of such authority to The Adjutant General.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FELIX P. CAMACHO, *I Maga'lahañ Guåhan* Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, and the laws of Guam, do hereby order as follows:

Section I. Invocation of Organic Act Authority to delegate to The Adjutant General authority to sign the National Guard Bureau MCA and its appendices for Guam.

Section II. Transition period. Section I of this Executive Order shall take effect thirty (30) days after the enactment of this Executive Order. Until that time, the directors of the respective signatories to the MCA for Guam shall undertake such activity as is necessary to effect the intents, purposes, and mandates of this Executive Order, including execution of any and all necessary documents and instruments.

Section III. Request to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. This Executive Order shall serve as an official request to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to enact any other measures necessary and appropriate to carry out the full intents and purposes of this Executive Order.



Section IV. Repealer. Any Executive Order heretofore promulgated in conflict herewith is hereby repealed insofar as any conflict is concerned.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagåtña, Guam this 3rd day of February, 2010.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "F. Camacho".

FELIX P. CAMACHO
I Maga'lahen Guåhan
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M. Cruz".

MICHAEL W. CRUZ, M.D.
I Segundu Maga'lahen Guåhan
Lieutenant Governor of Guam

