



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

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2014-17

**RELATIVE TO DECLARING THE DAY
AFTER THANKSGIVING A HOLIDAY**

WHEREAS, the Calvo Tenorio administration recognizes the hard work of more than 12,000 Government of Guam employees; and

WHEREAS, this is the second year in a row that the Government of Guam has paid tax refunds to Guamanians within the tax year and without borrowing. This was possible because the men and women of the Government did more than their fair share to help get our Government's finances in order. The result of their efforts also has caught the attention of off-island investors who have remarked on the financial improvements; and

WHEREAS, it is my intention to reward Government of Guam employees, to give them a break, and to recognize them for their exemplary deeds; and

WHEREAS, I recognize the need for government of Guam employees to have more time to spend with their families, to rest and to re-energize as the administration moves forward with more changes to the very nature of government service; and

WHEREAS, this will provide economic stimulus which will trigger increased revenues into the island's businesses and government; and

WHEREAS, Title 1 Guam Code Annotated, Section 1000 (c) provides that: "In addition to the holidays specified in Subsection (a) of this Section, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan* may declare by Executive Order additional non-permanent holidays for special purposes."



NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDDIE BAZA CALVO, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan*, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, do hereby order that:

Friday, November 28, 2014, the day after Thanksgiving, is declared as a Government of Guam holiday

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagåtña, Guam, this 18th day of November, 2014.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several stylized, overlapping strokes.

EDDIE BAZA CALVO

I Maga'låhen Guåhan

Governor of Guam

