EXCLUSIVE ORDER NO. 95-14

ESTABLISHMENT OF A PROGRAM COORDINATING COMMITTEE FOR THE FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has made it a requirement that Public Housing Authorities implement a Family Sufficiency Program in order to receive additional funding for Section 8 Certificates, Vouchers and Public Housing Units; and

WHEREAS, the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority wishes to apply for additional funding for housing assistance; and

WHEREAS, the combined number of applicants for Section 8 housing assistance and Low Income Public Housing was 2,239 applicants as of February 28, 1995, indicating a definite need for additional housing assistance; and

WHEREAS, the objective of the Family Self-Sufficiency Program is to reduce the dependency of low-income families on welfare assistance and on Section 8 and Public Housing; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of this government to promote programs that enable families to achieve economic independence and self sufficiency; and

WHEREAS, the Family Self-Sufficiency Program requires that a Program Coordinating Committee be established to assist in securing commitments of public and private resources for the operation of the program;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MADELEINE Z. BORDALLO, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Acting Governor of Guam, do hereby order:

1. That a Family Self-Sufficiency Program Coordinating Committee be established consisting of a representative of the following government of Guam divisions, departments, or agencies:

   a) Governor's Office

   b) Department of Public Health and Social Services
c) Agency for Human Resources Development  
d) Department of Labor  
e) University of Guam  
f) Department of Education  
g) Guam State Council on Vocational Education (SCOVE)  
h) Guam Community College  
i) Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority  
j) Guam Mass Transit Authority  
k) Bureau of Women's Affairs; and

2. That the Program Coordinating Committee develop an Action Plan for Family Self-Sufficiency; and

3. That the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority is designated as the lead agency for the Family Self-Sufficiency Program Coordinating Committee; and

4. That the names of the appointees be submitted to the Executive Director of the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority; and

5. That the Family Self-Sufficiency Program Coordinating Committee set goals and meet regularly in order to accomplish its goals.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Agana, Guam this 1st day of June, 1995.

MADELEINE Z. BORDALLO
Acting Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

DON PARKINSON  
Acting Lieutenant Governor of Guam