



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

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 95-17

RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING A GUAM STEERING COMMITTEE FOR 1995 U. S. DEFENSE BASE CLOSURE AND REALIGNMENT COMMISSION (BRAC) RECOMMENDATIONS TO COORDINATE GUAM'S RESPONSE TO THESE RECOMMENDATIONS.

WHEREAS, the recommendations of the U. S. Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission (BRAC 1995) were forwarded to the President of the United States on June 30, 1995 and were subsequently forwarded to the U. S. Congress on July 15, 1995; the U. S. Congress endorsed these recommendations on September 9, 1995, beginning the process of base closures across the United States, including several installations on Guam; and

WHEREAS, the installations located in Guam which are affected by the BRAC 1995 recommendations include the closure of the U. S. Naval Ship Repair Facility (SRF), the disestablishment of the Fleet and Industrial Supply Center (FISC), the realignment of the Naval Activities (NavActs), a redirect of the BRAC 1993 recommendations affecting the former Naval Air Stations (NAS) and Andersen Air Force Base (AAFB), and the realignment of the Naval Public Works Center; and

WHEREAS, the BRAC '95 actions with respect to the Guam installations presents challenges and opportunities to the people of Guam and Guam's continued economic development; and

WHEREAS, Senator Joe T. San Agustin, the Legislature's Chairperson of the Committee on Economic-Agricultural Development, and Insurance, has introduced a bill into the Legislature establishing a Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA) within the Guam Economic Development Authority; and

WHEREAS, in advance of the establishment of a Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA) for the reuse of BRAC '95 lands, a Guam Steering Committee in coordination with the Guam Economic Development Authority on the 1995 BRAC decision is needed to provide interim coordination of Guam's approach to the many and varied issues and responsibilities involved in the base closure process;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ, 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:

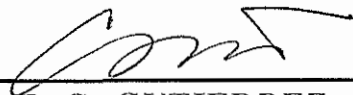


1) Until a Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA) is established by law, a task force consisting of Nineteen (19) members is established to provide interim coordination of Guam's approach to the BRAC '95 decision and the base closure process on Guam; this task force shall be known as the "Guam Steering Committee for BRAC '95 Recommendations".

2) The members of the committee established in this Executive Order are:

- a) Governor of Guam;
- b) Speaker, Guam Legislature;
- c) Chairperson, Committee on Economic Development;
- d) Chairperson, Committee on Transportation and Tourism;
- e) One (1) representative of the Legislative Minority, to be chosen by the Minority;
- f) Guam's Delegate to Congress;
- g) Chairperson, Board of Directors, Guam Chamber of Commerce;
- h) Chairperson, Board of Directors, Port Authority of Guam;
- i) Chairperson, Board of Directors, Guam Economic Development Authority;
- j) Commander, Naval Forces Marianas, Advisor;
- k) Eight (8) representatives of the Community at Large who are not employees of either the federal or the local government, to be selected by the Governor; and
- l) One (1) representative who is either a homeless persons provider or a homeless coalition.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Agana, Guam this 15th day
September, 1995.



CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:



DON PARKINSON
Acting Lieutenant Governor of Guam