

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

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 98-14

RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING THE GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT HIGHWAY PATROL SECTION

WHEREAS, the Guam Police Department currently is organized with a Traffic Investigation Section, and the personnel assigned to that Section are working hard to focus attention on safe driving habits and to respond to a variety of incidents that occur on Guam's roadways; and

WHEREAS, several recent serious accidents involving several fatalities have underscored the need to increase even more the visibility and manpower devoted to traffic concerns on Guam; and

WHEREAS, in order to increase the visibility and public awareness of road behavior, apprehend violations, issue citations, and publicize penalties and safety concerns, the Traffic Investigation Section of the Guam Police Department will be redesignated and emphasized;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ, I Maga'lahen Guåhan, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act do order:

- 1. The Traffic Investigation Section of the Guam Police Department is redesignated, and will now be known as the "Guam Police Department Highway Patrol Section", or "Highway Patrol Section"; and
- 2. The Highway Patrol Section shall initially consist of the personnel currently assigned to the Traffic Investigation Section, and shall be augmented as soon as possible with new officers assigned to the new Section and additional resources as available; and
- 3. The Highway Patrol Section shall concentrate on the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP), which includes random enforcement stations; and
- 4. The Highway Patrol Section shall concentrate its efforts on the primary roadways of Guam, particularly the heavily traveled Routes 1, 4, 8, 10, 15 and 16, as well as other locations as designated by the Chief of Police.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagatña, Guam this 27th day of April, 1998.

CARL T. C. GUTIERREZ I Maga'lahen Guåhan Governor of Guam

COUNTER SIGNED:

MADELEINE Z. BORDALLO V Segundu na Maga lahen Guahan

Lieutenant Governor of Guam