GOVERNMENT OF GUAM Office of the Governor Agana, Guam

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 66-11

WHEREAS, studies have indicated that the promotion of Economic Development of the Territory is closely linked with the availability of trained labor;

WHEREAS, several departmental agencies of the Government of Guam have been engaged in the promotion of Vocational Education and Technical Training Programs;

WHEREAS, both private and public sectors have expressed a strong desire towards the development of a comprehensive long-range program in the area of training our youths on Guam;

WHEREAS, our high schools on Guam are graduating a large number of students on a larger scale each year;

WHEREAS, both high schools and college are experiencing a significantly large percentage of drop-outs; and

WHEREAS, there exists a need to channel our youths on Guam to engage and be trained in gainful occupational endeavor;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is directed that a Commission of Vocational Education and Technical Training be established to consist of two (2) representatives each from the government, commercial, and military communities, and a chairman to be appointed by the Governor. The Commission shall meet at a place and time designated by the chairman. It shall be the function of this Commission to:

1. Study and recommend to the Governor a comprehensive plan for Vocational Education and Technical Training Program, to be submitted on or before October 10, 1966.

2. To recommend to the Governor the necessary machinery which would ensure the continuity of Vocational Education and Technical Training Program, meeting both short and long-range goals.

3. To have the authority to call on each department and agency of the Government of Guam to cooperate and assist in the development of a comprehensive plan, including the formation of special task force study committees.

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4. To seek cooperation and assistance from the commercial and military communities in the development of statistics and information to serve as guidelines in the formulation of plans and programs.

The Office of Budget and Management is hereby directed to provide logistic staff services to the Commission of Vocational Education and Technical Training, and shall render whatever assistance needed to implement the objectives and goals of this Executive Order. This order and the Commission shall expire on October 10, 1966 or earlier on the submission of the final report by the Commission on Vocational Education and Technical Training in accord with the provisions of paragraph 2 hereinabove.

> This Executive Order is effective immediately. Dated at Agana, Guam this \underline{k} day of \underline{J}_{aug} , 1966.

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Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED: uKlicon DENVER DICKERSON Secretary of Guam