GOVERNMENT OF GUAM OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AGANA, GUAM

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 77-25

CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD AND AIRLINE REGULATORY MATTERS

WHEREAS, Title XLIV of the Government Code of Guam, the Guam Airport Authority Act, created the Guam Airport Authority; and

WHEREAS, Section 62003 of the Guam Airport Authority Act states that: "The purpose of the Authority is to acquire, construct, reconstruct, purchase, extend, improve, better operate and maintain airports and related facilities for civil aviation purposes on Guam"; and

WHEREAS, award of airline routes and other airline regulatory matters comes under the cognizance of the Civil Aeronautics Board (CAB), United States Government, Washington, D.C.; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to create within the Government of Guam a single agency to coordinate CAB, airline regulatory and other aviation matters, and represent the Government of Guam on these aviation matters under the general cognizance of the Governor; and

WHEREAS, the Guam Airport Authority, by virtue of the provisions of the Guam Airport Authority Act, is the logical agency to coordinate all civil aviation matters within the Government of Guam;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICARDO J. BORDALLO, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act, as amended, do hereby appoint the Guam Airport Authority as the designated single agency within the Government of Guam to:

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(1) Act as the designated Agency to coordinate all aviation matters within the Government of Guam, including but not limited to Civil Aeronautics Board matters, Airline Regulatory matters, and Civil Aviation improvement and development matters;

(2) Assist the Governor or represent the Governor in meetings concerning Civil Aeronautics Board matters, airline regulatory matters, and other aviation matters as approved by the Governor;

(3) Advise the Governor and other administrative officials of the Government of Guam concerning all aviation related matters as requested;

(4) Employ and pay for the services of an appropriate legal firm in Washington, D.C. to advise the Guam Airport Authority and the Governor concerning Civil Aeronautics Board matters, airline regulatory matters, and other aviation matters of interest to the Government of Guam.

(5) Consult with the Governor and his immediate staff, legislature, Guam Visitors Bureau, Guam Chamber of Commerce, and other appropriate agencies in coordinating those aviation matters of direct and vital concern to the Government of Guam, in particular Civil Aeronautics Board and Airline Regulatory matters.

All prior rules, regulations, policies, or Executive Orders in conflict with this Executive Order are hereby superceded.

Signed and promulgated at Agana, Guam this <u>lst</u> day of <u>DECEMBER</u>, 1977.

RICARDO J. BORDALLO Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED: RUDOLPH G. SABLAN Lieutenant Governor

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