GOVERNMENT OF GUAM OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AGANA, GUAM

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 79-28

AMENDING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS IMPLEMENTING CHAPTER VII, TITLE V OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM CODE, RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS ACT OF GUAM.

BY VIRTUE of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act and statutes of the Territory of Guam, the Rules and Regulations implementing the Public Employee-Management Relations Act as amended by Executive Order 79-17 (issued by the Governor of Guam on August 22, 1979), are hereby further amended as follows:

- The following provisions of Article VI (D) of said Rules and Regulations is deleted in its entirety:
 - "7. No bargaining unit having less than twenty (20) members will be considered an appropriate unit under Public Law 9-240."
- (2) The provisions of Article IX (A)(2) is hereby deleted in its entirety and in its place the following added:
 - 2. After the tally required in Article IX A 1 has been made, certify the election results in writing to the Governor and to each employee organization which was represented on the ballot. Such certification shall also be published at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Territory of Guam and be posted on the bulletin boards of the department or agency involved.
 - a. If the certified election results indicate an employee organization received a majority of the votes cast, the Governor shall:
 - (1) Notify the employee organization in writing that it has been granted exclusive recognition and identify the unit for

which it has been granted.

- b. If the certified election results indicate no employee organization received a majority of the votes cast and at least two (2) employee organizations were seeking recognition as exclusive bargaining agent, then the Director shall conduct a run-off election after eliminating any ballot choice which received less than 15 per cent of the total vote cast.
- c. If the certified election results indicate that in an election in which the ballot choices were limited to only one employee organization or no organization, and the employee organization failed to obtain a majority, the results shall be conclusive, unless the employee organization shall have some valid matter for appeal, and the Director shall take no further action after certifying the election results as provided in Article IX A 2.

The amendments made by the Order shall become effective immediately. Dated this <u>5th</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1979.

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Governor of Guam

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Lt. Governor of Guam