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Vice Speaker Therese M. Terlaje
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Honorable Therese M. Terlaje
Interim Speaker
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Guam Congress Building
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Dear Madame Speaker:

Pursuant to § 102 (e) of Chapter 1, Title 1, Guam Code Annotated, transmitted herewith is a copy of Executive Order No. 2018-15.

Senseramente,

EDDIE BAZA CALVO

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2018-15

RELATIVE TO THE CREATION OF THE MANDAÑA 2.0 PATROL AUGMENTATION TASK FORCE, A COLLABORATION OF LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL FROM WITHIN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH WITH THE GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTINUING PROACTIVE CRIME PREVENTION, SUPPRESSION AND ANTI-VIOLENT CRIME ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS.

WHEREAS, protecting the lives and property of the citizens of Guam and our island's visitors is the highest priority of the Government of Guam; and

WHEREAS, before and since taking Office, the Governor and Lt. Governor of Guam promised the people of Guam that their safety was their priority; and

WHEREAS, they have kept that promise as reflected in recently collected crime statistics that reflect an overall downward crime trend over previous periods prior to the start of this Administration; and

WHEREAS, in 2016, this Administration furthered that commitment, when the Guam Police Department introduced a new policing strategy called The Mandaña Initiatives; a Community Oriented Policing Strategy aimed at establishing closer ties with the community for a safe environment; and

WHEREAS, to maintain their commitment to crime reduction and expand these efforts and building a safer community in 2017, this Administration gave approval to the Guam Police Department to formulate the Mandaña Drug Task Force (MDTF), a multi-government agency task force designed specifically to proactively target drug importation and distribution; and

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WHEREAS, despite the loss of police officers due to resignations and retirements, the Guam Police Department has continued to find success with these new strategies as crime trends continued to show decreases in overall crime; and

WHEREAS, with scarce resources, this Administration acknowledges that this fight requires a team effort in order to maintain the promise to the community of a safer island. This fight will require that all law enforcement agencies of this government share these responsibilities in order to best protect the safety of this island; and

WHEREAS, this Administration finds it necessary that the most efficient manner to maintaining this fight is by formulating the Mandaña 2.0 Patrol Augmentation Task Force, consisting of law enforcement personnel from the Guam Police Department (GPD), Guam International Airport Authority (GIAA), Jose D. Leon Guerrero Port Authority of Guam (PAG), Department of Agriculture and the Department of Parks & Recreation (DPR) coming together in a singular proactive enforcement approach to maintaining the safety and security of the citizenry, which the People of Guam deserve; and

WHEREAS, the effective preparedness, planning and provisions of this task force will be carried out by the Chief of Police, and his Command staff, in consultation and cooperation with the Directors, and General Managers of the agencies identified; and

WHEREAS, Section §1422 of the Organic Act of Guam (Title 48, United States Code) provides that the executive power of Guam is vested in the Governor of Guam "who shall have general supervision and control of all department, bureaus, agencies, and other instrumentalities of the executive branch of the government of Guam."

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDDIE BAZA CALVO, Governor of Guam, by the authority vested in me by the Organic Act and laws of Guam, do hereby order:

(1) **Augmentation of Sworn Peace Officers to the Guam Police Department.** The General Manager of the Guam International Airport Authority, the General Manager of the Port Authority of Guam, the Director of the Department of Agriculture and the Director of the Department of Parks & Recreation, shall identify sworn peace officers from their agencies to augment the Guam Police Department for the purposes of establishing and deploying the Mandaña Robbery Suppression Task Force. The Chief of Police and the aforementioned Directors and General Managers shall meet within 10 days of the issuance of this Executive Order and determine the number of sworn peace officers to be assigned to the Guam Police Department to carry out the mandates of this Order.

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All sworn peace officers from the aforementioned law enforcement agencies assigned to augment the Mandaña 2.0 Suppression Task Force shall be assigned under the Police Commander, Guam Police Department, for briefing and assignment within this task force.

During this operation, affected sworn peace officers will be subject to and guided by the Guam Police Department's general orders, standard operating procedures, unit directives and the laws of Guam. [See 8 GCA § 5.56.];

(2) **Salaries and Benefits.** The respective agencies identified will be responsible for ensuring that their affected sworn peace officers' salaries and benefits are maintained during this temporary reassignment.

(3) **Logistical and Equipment Support.** All Director's and General Managers from the affected agencies shall cooperate with the Guam Police Department and shall provide the necessary logistical and equipment support to efficiently and effectively carry out the provisions of this Executive Order.

(4) **Training and Supplies**. The Chief of Police shall ensure that all temporarily reassigned sworn peace officers are provided the required training from the Guam Police Department; concerning computer training, general orders, standard operating procedures, unit directives and the laws of Guam to allow temporarily reassigned sworn peace officers to effectively and efficiently carry out their police mission, as contained within this Executive Order.

(5) **Authority.** All sworn law enforcement personnel augmenting this task force shall discharge their duties and responsibilities pursuant to:

§ 5.56. T 8 GCA;
§ 20.10 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.15 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.25 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.30 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.35 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.40 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.45 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.50 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.55 T 8 GCA;
§ 20.60 T 8 GCA.

All sworn law enforcement personnel assigned to this task force shall also be guided by and respecting the rights of all persons, afforded by the U.S. Constitution, and any and all federal laws and the laws of Guam.

(6) **Duration.** This assignment shall take effect at 8:00 a.m. Chamorro Standard Time, on September 23, 2018, and shall remain in effect until such time as recommended to cease by the Chief of Police, and approved by the Lieutenant Governor of Guam, that the need for the augmentation is no longer needed.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagåtña, Guam, the _____ day of September, 2018.

EDDIE BAZA CALVO
I Maga'låhen Guåhan
Governor of Guam

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