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MEMORANDUM

TO: Administrator, Guam Environmental Protection Agency

Attn: Water Division

Attn: Environmental Monitoring and Surveillance (EMAS) Division

Director, Department of Land Management

Director, Department of Public Works

Director, Department of Parks and Recreation
Attn: State Historic Preservation Officer

Director, Department of Agriculture

Attn: Chief, Division of Aquatic and Wildlife Resources

Director, Guam Waterworks Authority

Attn: General Manager

FROM: Director, Bureau of Statistics and Plans

SUBJECT: Federal Consistency Certification for USEPA Department of Public Works

MS-4 Permit GCMP FC No. 2018-0017

Hafa Adai! The Bureau of Statistics and Plans is reviewing the enclosed Federal Consistency Certification for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA). USEPA Region 9 is proposing to issue a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit to the Guam Department of Public Works (DPW) authorizing discharges from the municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) operated by the Guam DPW and serving most of Guam.

The discharges regulated by the permit would consist primarily of stormwater runoff, but could also include certain specified non-stormwater discharges. The specific areas covered by the permit are located generally in the southern and western areas of Guam, as well as in the vicinity of Hagatna Bay and Tumon Bay. The receiving waters would be the coastal and inland waters of Guam. The permit would apply to the MS4 operated by the permittee islandwide.

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We respectfully request for your agency's review of the proposed project pursuant to Executive Order 78-37, Guam Land Use Policies regarding 16 elements of the Development and Resource Policies.

For detailed information on the above enforceable policies, please visit our website http://bsp.guam.gov under the Guam Coastal Management Program, Procedures Guide for Achieving Federal Consistency with the Guam Coastal Management Program.

Your immediate response with comments or concerns is essential in concluding a Federal Consistency determination for the proposed project. Please note that if there is no response from you on or before <u>Monday</u>, <u>November 10</u>, <u>2018</u>, we will assume that you have no objections or concerns over the proposed project.

Should you need additional information, please contact Mr. Francis Damian, Planner at 300-9665 or Mr. Edwin Reyes, Guam Coastal Management Administrator at 475-9672 or email francis.damian@bsp.guam.gov or edwin.reyes@bsp.guam.gov, respectively. Si Yu'os Ma'ase'.

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Enclosure:

CZM application with attachments (Compact Disc copy)