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TO: Department and Agency Administrators

FROM: Exec. Dir., Commission on Decolonization *Dellis*

DATE: January 10, 2000

RE: Decolonization Information Campaign

In preparation for a decolonization plebiscite by eligible ("Chamorro") voters on July 1, 2000, the Commission on Decolonization has begun a general (Phase 1) awareness-raising media campaign. The general information campaign will be followed by an information program on the specific status options of independence, free association and statehood as well as information on the economic impact of each status option.

The Phase 1 campaign will mix soft-sell and question-raising approaches with stronger Chamorro images (January-February). Later in Phase 1, (February-March) some of the issues that are raised by the process of decolonization (security, citizenship, economic development, land control) will be addressed.

Phase 2 of the Commission on Decolonization's campaign will be driven by information about the status options (information developed by Task Forces on the respective options) and the projected economic effect of the options (provided by an economic impact study). This Phase will run from early April until the decolonization plebiscite.

In addition to the Commission on Decolonization's information efforts, you are also likely to see a campaign by the Chamorro Registry Advisory Board encouraging those who are eligible to register to vote.

In addition to information which appears as advertisements in the media, other activities will unfold over the period leading up to the plebiscite. Your thoughts on activities and events, the provision of information to your employees on this non-partisan vote, and perhaps even participation in the process by those most interested would be welcomed.

In the meantime, if you have any thoughts or suggestions about how we can help get our heads straight for decolonization, please give me a call.

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Commission on Decolonization Meeting

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

January 10, 2011

(Adelup, Guam) The Commission on Decolonization will meet on Thursday, January 19, 2012 at 4 p.m. in the Governor's Conference Room at the Ricardo J. Bordallo Governor's Complex in Adelup.

Executive Director Ed Alvarez will focus on a review of the year 2011 and the direction and plans for 2012 regarding the political status of Guam. The general public is invited to attend. The agenda follows:

I. Roll call and Call to Order

II. Approval of minutes for 9-23-11 and 11-17-11

III. Old Business

a) Executive Director's statement- Review of 2011/Direction for 2012

IV. New Business

a) Appointment of Task Force Members.

b) Retaining legal counsel for the Commission on Decolonization.

V. Sub-Committee Reports.

a) Educational Plan Sub-Committee.

VI. Announcements

VII. Adjournment

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For additional information, please contact Natalie Quinata at 475-9213

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
November 15, 2011

The Commission on Decolonization will meet to discuss its public outreach initiatives on self-determination. The Commission is preparing a preliminary report for an education program. This program will inform residents about the future plebiscite vote for self-determination.

The report, which must detail timelines and procedures for implementation, must be submitted to the Guam Legislature for review.

The meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 17, 2011, at 11a.m. in the Governor's Conference Room at the Ricardo J. Bordallo Governor's Complex, Adelup.

Contact Ed Alvarez at 686-1325 for more information.

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