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JON J. P. FERNANDEZ
Superintendent of Education

December 22, 2014

Benita A. Manglona Director Department of Administration P.O. Box 884 Hagatña, Guam 96932

Re: Guahan Academy Charter School Invoice: GACS FY 2015-12-2014

Dear Director Manglona,

Upon review of the Guahan Academy Charter School Invoice: GACS FY 2015-12-2014 by our Internal Audit Office in collaboration with members of the Guahan Academy Charter School, I am unable to submit my verification of accuracy as required by Public Law 32-068, Chapter II, Section 3 in its entirety.

Our Internal Audit Office was only able to validate \$270,823.33 of the invoiced total of \$276,500.00, please see attached verification report. This validation is based on actual invoices submitted to our Internal Audit Office on December 12 and 15, 2014. Additionally, the invoices received totaled \$319,544.68 in expenses, which exceeds the drawdown request by \$43,044.68.

Please advise my office if you have any further questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Superintendent of Education

**Attachment** 

Cc: Guam Education Board

Speaker, 32nd Guam Legislature Guahan Academy Charter School

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32-14-2333 Office of the Speaker Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D

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## INTERNAL AUDIT OFFICE

December 19, 2014

### **MEMORANDUM**

To:

Jon P. Fernandez

Superintendent of Education

From:

Franklin Cooper-Nurse

Chief Auditor

Subject:

December Review of Charter School's Invoices

Hafa Adai,

The internal audit office has completed its review of Guahan Academy's invoices for the month of December. Please see the attached report for IAO's complete review and results.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 300-1336 or via email at fitcooper-nurse@gdoe.net.

Cc:

Deputy Superintendent of

Assessment and Accountability
Deputy Superintendent of Finance
and Administrative Services

### Department of Education

#### Internal Audit Office

### Audit Review - Guahan Academy Charter School Invoice Validation

#### For the period of December 2014

Purpose:

To validate Guahan Academy Charter School's invoices for the month of December

2014.

Source:

Doris Bainco, Office Manager of Guahan Academy Charter School

Annabelle Santos, Accounting Staff of Guahan Academy Charter School

Prepared by:

Franklin Cooper-Nurse, Chief Auditor for Department of Education

Anissa Acfalle, Audit Staff for Department of Education

Carmela Vi, Auditor for Department of Education

<u>Results:</u> As required by Section 6.3 of the Guahan Academy Charter School's Invoice Validation Standard Operating Procedures, IAO's review focused on validation of December expenditures. The results were as follows;

As per letter dated December 1, 2014, it stated there was a total of \$ 276,500.00 for the December invoice expenditures. The classifications of accounts provided by the charter school listing were;

		IAO Validation		
	<b>GACS</b> Request	Supported	(BASED ON	Variance
			REQUEST)	
1. Personnel salaries	240,000.00	234,638.75	234,638.75	5,361.25
2. Benefits	60	28,350.44	→	(28,350.44)
3. Contractual	23,264.00	31,972.95	23,264.00	(8,708.95)
4. Supplies & materials	436.00	5,270.61	436.00	(4,834.61)
5. Power	9,000.00	13,440.01	9,000.00	(4,440.01)
б. Water	800.00	484.58	484.58	315.42
7. Telephone	3,000.00	5,387.34	3,000.00	(2,387.34)
TOTAL	\$276,500.00	\$319,544.68	\$270,823.33	(\$43,044.68)

On December 1, 2014 IAO received the Guahan Academy Charter School's drawdown request. Invoices were subsequently provided by GACS on December 12 and December 15, 2014. Based on IAO's review, a total of \$319,544.68 was supported by invoices. The invoices provided by GACS, which totaled

\$319,544.68, exceeded their drawdown request of \$276,500.00 by \$43,044.68. Therefore, the IAO can only validate the amount of \$270,823.33 for the month of December.