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March 18, 2016

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Hon. Judith T. Won Pat  
Speaker, 33rd Guam Legislature

From: Chief Procurement Officer

Subject: **Emergency Procurement – Certificate of Emergency**

Buenas yan Hafa Adai! Pursuant to the SGCA §521S: Emergency Procurement, attached is a copy of the Certificate of Emergency dated March 16, 2016, enabling the Department of Administration (DOA) to procure the services and materials needed to provide the repair and the recovery of the Powersource 9390 Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS); to ensure the continued computer systems support of all Government of Guam operations.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 475-1707/20.

CLAUDIA S. ACFALLE

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To: Governor of Guam

From: Chief Procurement Officer  
General Services Agency

Subject: Request for Emergency Declaration to provide  
Repair and Recovery of the DOA Data Center  
Powersource 9390 Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)

Attached is a memorandum from the Director of the Department of Administration for an emergency declaration to provide, repair and recovery of the DOA Data Center Powerssource 9390 Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)

As noted in their memorandum dated March 15, 2015, the Department of Administration's Office of Technology noted that on January 28, 2016 a power surge in the Hagatna area affected the Data Center and other facilities. This power surge affected all systems and equipment in the Data Center to experience a severe crash, which also affected the DOA IBM Power 7 (AS400) server provides service to several programs such as: the government's procurement system; the Public Health's PH Pro System; DOC's Naviline System; and the Revand Tax backup system.

Because DOA's UPS is not operating properly, the entire Data Center is exposed to the constant power outages and power fluctuations that occur. When this happens it causes all systems to crash, not only the ones stated above, but the GovGuam Wide Area Network (GGWAN) core infrastructure, access to the internet and the email system.

DOA has been working to fix the main IBM Power 7 but it is still undergoing repairs. Our backup (AS400) server is being used at the Department of Revenue and Taxation, and we are fearful that another power surge that would take off the system would cause for no government governmental operations.

The procurement of this service through an Emergency Procurement as authorized under 5 G.C.A. §5215 is necessary in order to avert a threat to the health, welfare and safety of our public and employees.


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**COMMITTED TO EXCELLENCE**

Based upon the facts provided by the Department, I, CLAUDIA S. ACFALLE, Chief Procurement Officer for the General Services Agency do certify under penalty of perjury, that a certificate of emergency is not being used solely for the purpose of avoidance of the provisions of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated, Chapter 5, the Guam Procurement law.

  
CLAUDIA S. ACFALLE

APPROVED

  
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EDDIE BAZA CALVO, Date  
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