



ISLAND OF GUAM
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
HAGÁTÑA, GUAM 96932
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Executive Order 2019 – 01

**RELATIVE TO REORGANIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND MANAGEMENT BY
REESTABLISHING THE CHAMORRO LAND TRUST COMMISSION AND THE GUAM
ANCESTRAL LANDS COMMISSION AS SEPARATE AGENCIES**

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Governor under Sections 1422c(c) of the Organic Act of Guam to examine from time to time the structure of the Executive Branch and determine and effect such changes as are necessary to promote effective management; and

WHEREAS, the Chamorro Land Trust Commission (the “CLTC”) is established in law at Chapter 75 of Title 21 of the Guam Code Annotated for the purpose of managing Chamoru homelands; and

WHEREAS, the Guam Ancestral Lands Commission (the “GALC”) is established in law at Chapter 80 of Title 21 of the Guam Code Annotated for the purpose of maintaining ancestral land registries and processing ancestral lands claims; and

WHEREAS, the CLTC and the GALC were merged into the Department of Land Management (“DLM”) pursuant to the Governor’s Reorganization Advisory No. 5 issued on September 21, 2011; and

WHEREAS, while the missions of DLM, the CLTC, the GALC are related and interconnected, they are not directly aligned; and

WHEREAS, to properly advance the missions of DLM, the CLTC, and the GALC, it is appropriate to reestablish the CLTC and GALC as separate agencies in accordance with their enabling legislation and to reestablish the positions of Administrative Director for each.

NOW THEREFORE, I, LOURDES A. LEON GUERERRO, *I Maga’hågan Guåhan*, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, and the laws of Guam, do hereby re-establish the Chamorro Land Trust Commission and the Guam Ancestral Lands Commission as separate agencies from the Department of Land Management as provided for in Chapter 75 and 80, respectively, of Title 21 of Guam Code Annotated and reestablish the positions of Administrative Director for each.

Signed and Promulgated at *Hagåtña*, Guam, this 16th day of January 2019.

LOURDES A. LEON GUERERRO
I Maga’hågan Guåhan
Governor of Guam

Attested by:

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