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Paula M. Blas Director

Lieutenant Governor

August 21, 2009

The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat Speaker I Mina' Trenta na Liheslaturan Guahan 155 Hesler Place Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Re: Statement of Revenues and Expenditures – Month Ended July 31, 2009

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Submitted in accordance with Public Law 29-113, Chapter VII, Section 25, is the Retirement Fund's (the "Fund") statement of Revenues and Expenditures for the month ended July 31, 2009. The report is also provided in "pdf" format on the enclosed diskette, and will be posted on the Fund's website at www.ggrf.com.

As noted, in our November 26, 2008 letter, "Public Law 29-113 states that each monthly report shall be due no later than ten (10) days after the end of each month. The Fund interprets this to mean the 10th calendar day of the following month. Please note that this requirement places the Fund in a precarious situation as it would virtually be unable to comply. The Fund's inability to comply arises as the final month-end audited investment reports, prepared by the Fund's off-island Investment Custodian, are not due to the Fund until the 7th business day of the following month. Upon receipt of the reports the Fund requires an additional three to five business days to perform the necessary month-end reconciliations. Based on this, the Fund's non-compliance with the provisions of Public Law 29-113, Chapter VII, Section 25, is not intentional. The Fund hereby formally notifies the Guam Legislature that it will commit to provide future reports no later than the 15th business day of the following month."

Should you have any questions, please contact our Controller, Ms. Diana T. Bernardo at 475-8912.

Sincerely,

Paula M. Blas Director 🥆

Enclosure

cc: Doris Flores Brooks, Public Auditor

Trustees:

Joe T. San Agustin Chairman

Wilfred P. Leon Guerrero,Ed.D. Vice-Chairman Investment Committee, Chairman

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GOVERNMENT OF GUAM RETIREMENT FUND

Statement of Revenues and Expenditures

For the one month ended July 31, 2009

	Defined Benefit	Defined Contribution	Total
Investment income:			
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	\$ 64,415,748	\$ 9,543,999	\$ 73,959,747
Interest	6,336,401	15,760	6,352,161
Dividends	744,208	-	744,208
Other investment income	14,191	-	14,191
	71,510,548	9,559,759	81,070,307
Less investment expenses	20,183		20,183
Net investment income	71,490,365	9,559,759	81,050,124
Contributions:			
Employer	9,069,735	1,048,396	10,118,131
Member	1,620,593	1,044,375	2,664,968
Total contributions	10,690,328	2,092,771	12,783,099
TOTAL REVENUES	82,180,693	11,652,530	93,833,223
Benefit payments:			
Age and service annuities	12,107,549	-	12,107,549
Survivor annuities	1,589,603	-	1,589,603
Disability annuities	657,520	<u> </u>	657,520
Total benefit payments	14,354,672	-	14,354,672
Refunds to separated employees and withdrawals	940,371	455,234	1,395,605
Interest on refunded contributions	106,234	-	106,234
Balances transferred to DC plan	-	-	-
Recovery of bad debt - GMHA	(4,095,893)	-	(4,095,893)
Administrative and general expenses	215,989	62,744	278,733
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	11,521,373	517,978	12,039,351
Net increase (decrease) in plan net assets	\$ 70,659,320	\$ 11,134,552	\$ 81,793,872