



March 6, 2012

The Honorable Raymond S. Tenorio  
Acting Governor of Guam  
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**RE: Procurement Advisory Council**

Dear Acting Governor Tenorio:

On September 30, 2011, you, serving as Acting Governor signed P. L. 31-93 into law. This measure requires you or a senior member of your staff to serve as an ex-officio member and chairperson of the Procurement Advisory Council (PAC). Additionally, it requires that the first convening of the PAC occur within fifteen days of the enactment of P.L. 31-93. This should have occurred on or before October 15, 2011.

Due to numerous procurement protests and the possibility of DOE losing \$55 Million of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funds, the Council's duties may prove substantially beneficial toward standardizing an arduous procurement process thereby assisting GovGuam agencies, contractors, and island residents. As such, I respectfully request an update regarding the status of the appointments to the PAC.

Like you, I believe the PAC can go a long way towards improving Government procurement. Please inform me if I can be of further assistance regarding the implementation of the PAC. I look forward to your timely actions in relation to the Procurement Advisory Council.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Benjamin J.F. Cruz".

Benjamin J.F. Cruz