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Meeting Notice

2:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 24, 2021
Superior Court Courtroom 202A
Guma' Hustisia, Iimwal Aweewe, House of Justice

Notice is hereby given that the Northern Mariana Islands Judicial Council will conduct a regular business meeting at 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 24, 2021, in Superior Court Courtroom 202A located at the Guma' Hustisia, Iimwal Aweewe, House of Justice to consider the following agenda.

Agenda

1. Preliminary Matters
 - a. Roll Call and Establishment of Quorum
 - b. Adoption of Agenda
2. Adoption of the Meeting Minutes
 - a. October 27, 2020 Meeting
3. Communication from Legislature, Executive Branch, and Other Government Agencies
 - a. December 3, 2020, Executive Order No. 2020-026 Re Rescind Amended Executive Order No. 2020-03 (Price Freeze); and Subsequent Executive Orders and Amendments up to February 11, 2021 Re Renewal of Declaration of State of Public Health Emergency and Continued Declaration of State of Significant Emergency Establishing Response, Quarantine, and Preventive Containment Measures Concerning Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19); and, Renewal of Order Directing the CNMI Homeland Security & Emergency Management Office, through the CNMI COVID-19 Task Force, and in Partnership with the Commonwealth Healthcare Corporation, to Undertake Necessary COVID-19 Containment Measures by Means of the Development of Emergency Directives to Protect the Health and Safety of the Public.
 - b. January 29, 2021, Memorandum from Special Assistant for Management and Budget Virginia Villagomez Re Budget Call – Fiscal Year 2022
 - c. February 2, 2021, Letter from CHCC Re HRSA Rural Communities Opioid Response Program-Planning
4. Communication from Other Entities
 - a. US District Court for the NMI COVID-19 Roundtable (December 28, 2020)
5. NMI Bar Association
6. Clerk of Court for the Supreme Court
7. Clerk of Court for the Superior Court
8. Budget and Finance Director's Report
 - a. FY 2021 Budget
 - b. FY 2022 Budget Request

- c. Alternate Sources – FEMA, CJPA, Compact Impact, SJI, USDA, SNILD, BJA-Drug Court
- d. CARES Act – Spending Plan
 - i. Personnel
 - ii. All Others
- 9. Guma' Hustisia Closure and Re-Opening Projects
 - a. Spending Plan – Public Law 20-61
 - b. Contracts, Purchase Orders, and Fund Status
- 10. Old Business
 - a. Anti-Bullying Policy
 - b. ADA Policy and Website Form and Verification
 - c. Language Access Policy and Plan
- 11. New Business
 - a. Document Retention Policy
 - b. NMI Judicial Branch Equal Employment Opportunity Policy; EEO Complaint Form
 - c. NMI Judicial Branch Non-Discrimination Policy; Non-Discrimination Complaint Form and Non-Discrimination Consent Form
- 12. Legal Counsel's Report [*Executive Session, if necessary*]
- 13. Announcements
 - a. Pacific Judicial Council
 - b. Judiciary Annual Professional Development Training 2020
 - c. Law and the Freshman Legislator – January 7, 2021
- 14. Adjournment