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BEFORE THE PUBLIC AUDITOR PROCUREMENT APPEALS TERRITORY OF GUAM

Appeal No: OPA-PA-16-015

NOTICE OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Pre-Hearing Conference shall be held before the Public Auditor and Hearing Officer for Procurement Appeals at the Office of Public Accountability, Suite 907, 9th Floor, DNA Building, 238 Archbishop Flores Street, Hagatna, Guam 96910 on Tuesday, January 17, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. For the benefit of the parties and their counsel, the Public Auditor issues the following statement regarding the scheduled Status Hearing conference:

- 1. The Pre-Hearing Conference will focus on expediting the disposition of the appeal and may include:
 - a. Formulation and simplification of issues;

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- b. Possibility of obtaining admissions of fact and of documents that will avoid unecessary proof, stipulations regarding the authenticity of documents, and advance rulings from the Hearing Officer on the admissibility of evidence;
 - c. The avoidance of unnecesary proof and cumulative evidence;
- d. The identification of witnesses and documents, the need and schedule for filing and exchanging pretrial briefs;
 - e. The disposition of pending motions;
- f. The need for adopting special procedures for managing potentially difficult or protracted actions, complex issues, multiple parties, or unusual problems;
 - g. Establishing a reasonable limit on time allowed for presenting evidence; and
- h. Such other matters as may facilitate the just, speedy, and inexpensive disposition of the action.
- Any persons requiring special accommodations, auxiliary aids or services to attend the Status Hearing Conference shall contact and submit their request to Jerrick Hernandez, Office of Public Accountability, Suite 401, DNA Building, 238 Archbishop Flores Street, Hagatna, Guam, 96910, at 475-0390 ext. 208.

SO ORDERED this 4th day of January, 2017 by:

Delia Lujan Wolff, Esq.

Hearing Officer