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September 9, 2015

Glenn Leon Guerrero
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VIA EMAIL: glenn.leonguerrero@dpw.guam.gov

Re: Notice of Receipt of Appeal - OPA-PA-15-009

Dear Mr. Leon Guerrero,

Please be advised that Korando Corporation filed an appeal with the Office of Public Accountability (OPA) on September 8, 2015 regarding the Department of Public Works' (DPW) decision to terminate Korando's contract with DPW to construct the Bile/Pigua Bridge Replacement, Project No. GU-NH-NBIS(007). OPA has assigned this appeal case number OPA-PA-15-009.

Immediate action is required of DPW pursuant to the Rules of Procedure for Procurement Appeals, found in Chapter 12 of the Guam Administrative Regulations (GAR). Copies of the rules, the appeal, and all filing deadlines are available at OPA's office and on its website at <a href="https://www.opaguam.org">www.opaguam.org</a>. The notice of appeal filed with OPA is enclosed for your reference.

Please provide the required notice of this appeal to the relative parties with instructions that they should communicate directly with OPA regarding the appeals. You are also responsible for giving notice to the Attorney General or other legal counsel for your agency. Promptly provide OPA with the identities and addresses of interested parties and a formal entry of appearance by your legal counsel.

Pursuant to 2 GAR, Div. 4, Ch. 12, §12104(3), please submit one complete copy of the procurement record for the procurement solicitation above, as outlined in Title 5, Chapter 5, §5249 of the Guam Code Annotated, to OPA by Wednesday, September 16, 2015, five work days following receipt of this notice of appeal; and one copy of the Agency Report for each of the procurement solicitations cited above, as outlined in 2 GAR, Div. 4, Chap. 12, §12105, by Wednesday, September 23, 2015, ten work days following receipt of this notice of appeal.

When filing all other required documents with our office, please provide one original and two copies to OPA, and serve a copy to Korando Corporation. OPA respectfully asks that DPW provide

one original and two copies of the procurement record as the Guam Procurement Law and Regulations require only one copy. The three procurement record copies requested by OPA are distributed as follows: Copy-1: Master File; Copy-2: Public Auditor; and Copy-3: Hearing Officer.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please contact Michele Brillante at 475-0390 ext. 208, or mbrillante@guamopa.org, should you have any questions regarding this notice.

Sincerely,

Yukari Hechanova

Deputy Public Auditor

Enclosure: Notice of Appeal - OPA-PA-15-009

Cc: Joyce C.H. Tang, Counsel for Korando Corporation



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## OPA-PA-15-009: Notice of Receipt of Appeal

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Tue, Sep 15, 2015 at 3:20 PM

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Acknowledge received.

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On Fri, Sep 11, 2015 at 4:40 PM, Michele Brillante <a href="mailto:mbrillante@guamopa.org">mbrillante@guamopa.org</a> wrote: Hafa Adai,

This is to follow up on the Department of Public Works' acknowledgement of receipt of the Notice of Receipt of Appeal for procurement appeal OPA-PA-15-009, which was emailed September 9, 2015.

Kindly acknowledge your receipt at your soonest convenience.

Thank you,

## Michele S. Brillante

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Hafa Adai Mr. Leon Guerrero,

Please see attached file of the Notice of Receipt of Appeal.

Please confirm receipt of the attached Notice of Receipt of Appeal.

Thank you,

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Acknowledging receipt. Thank you.

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