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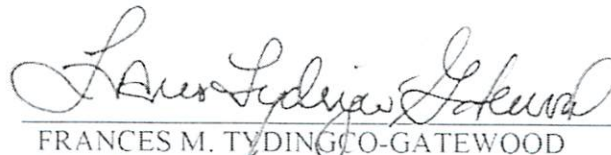
GENERAL ORDER 19- 00002

IN RE:
COURT CLOSURE

In anticipation of Guam's placement in Condition of Readiness 2 due to Typhoon Wutip, and to allow District Court of Guam staff to make necessary preparations, the District Court of Guam will be closed for business commencing at 11:00 a.m. Friday, February 22, 2019 until further notice. All hearings, jury trials, and jury selection proceedings are postponed until further notice.

Any court filings due while the court is closed after 11:00 a.m. Friday, February 22, 2019 shall be deemed timely filed if filed when the court opens for regular business. Additionally, Chief Deputy Clerk Charles White will be available for immediate assistance with court emergencies at 988-9031. Electronic filing, as always, will be available to registered users throughout the day.

SO ORDERED this 22nd day of February, 2019.


FRANCES M. TYDINGCO-GATEWOOD
Chief District Judge



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Supreme Court of Guam, Clerk of Court

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF GUAM

RE:

RELATIVE TO COURT CLOSURE
DUE TO TYPHOON WUTIP

Supreme Court of Guam
Administrative Order No. ADM19-002

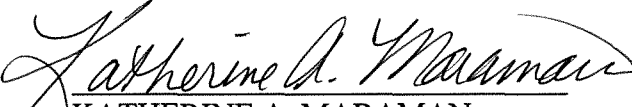
WHEREAS, on February 21, 2019, *I Ákto Maga'låhen Guahån*, issued a statement ordering non-emergency Government of Guam services to end at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, February 22, 2019, in anticipation of Typhoon Wutip. *I Ákto Maga'låhen Guahån* will declare Condition of Readiness (COR) 2 at 4:00 p.m. on February 22, 2019, in anticipation of Typhoon Wutip closing all executive branch departments and agencies of the Government of Guam until further notice; and

WHEREAS, due to Typhoon Wutip and in the interest of providing uniformity throughout the Government of Guam, it is reasonable likewise to close the Judicial Branch for public services beginning at 1:00 pm on February 22, 2019 and release all non-essential employees and upon the declaration of COR 2 by *I Ákto Maga'låhen Guahån*, the Judicial Branch will be closed until further notice:

NOW, THEREFORE, by the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, I do ORDER that, because *I Ákto Maga'låhen Guahån* has ordered that public services end at 1:00 pm today and will also declare Guam in COR 2 at 4:00 pm on February 22, 2019, the Judicial Branch of the government of Guam shall be closed for business at 1:00 p.m. until further notice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all hearings, jury trials, and jury selection proceedings scheduled for February 22, 2019 after 1:00 p.m. and any day after this date be rescheduled. Magistrate hearings will be held at the earliest opportunity following the declaration of COR 4 by *I Ákto Maga'lâhen Guahân*. Any court filing due while the court is closed shall be deemed timely filed if filed when the court opens for regular business.

SO ORDERED this 22nd day of February 2019.


KATHERINE A. MARAMAN
Chief Justice