



**BEFORE THE 2011 JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF GUAM
RESOLUTION NO. JC11-008**

RELATIVE TO APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF MARSHAL OF THE COURT

WHEREAS, on March 28, 2011, the Chief Justice of Guam made a selection among qualified applicants for the position of Marshal of the Court pursuant to his general supervisory power over all departments, divisions, and other instrumentalities of the judicial branch of Guam under 48 U.S.C. § 1424-1(b)(2); and

WHEREAS, prior to the 2004 Organic Act amendment enacting 1424-1, local law found at 7 GCA § 8105 provided that the Judicial Council shall appoint a Marshal of the Court who shall be subject to removal in accordance with the Personnel Rules and Regulations of the Judicial Branch; and

WHEREAS, in order to express harmony and consistency in the selection process, the Judicial Council considered the appointment of the vacant position of the Marshal of the Court at its regularly scheduled meeting in March 2011; and

WHEREAS, after discussion of the qualified applicants for the vacant position of Marshal of the Court, the Judicial Council concurred with the Chief Justice of Guam that candidate Edward S. Toves is the most qualified and desirable candidate among the well-qualified field of candidates.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Judicial Council hereby ratifies the selection of Edward S. Toves as the Marshal of the Court as that position is created by the Guam Legislature in 7 GCA § 8105.

DULY ADOPTED this 31st day of March, 2011 at a duly-noticed meeting of the Judicial Council of Guam.

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F. PHILIP CARBULLIDO, Chairman

Date: 4-11-11

ATTEST: A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Janet Beldad", written over a horizontal line.
JANET BELDAD, Assistant Recording Secretary

Date: 4-11-11