

BEFORE THE 2012 JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF GUAM
RESOLUTION NO. JC12-004

RELATIVE TO VACANCY ON THE BENCH OF THE
SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM

WHEREAS, the Honorable Elizabeth Barrett-Anderson has announced her intent to the Chief Justice of Guam to retire March 30, 2012 as shown in the attached letter; and

WHEREAS, the matter of the vacancy created by Judge Barrett-Anderson's retirement was presented to the Judicial Council as its duly noticed meeting of March 29, 2012; and

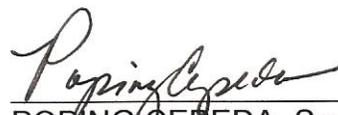
NOW, THEREFORE, the Judicial Council does hereby authorize the Chief Justice to certify a vacancy exist on the bench of the Superior Court, and the need to fill the vacancy in accordance with applicable law.

DULY ADOPTED this 29th day of March, 2012.



F. PHILIP CARBULLIDO, Chairman
Dated: 4/2/12

ATTEST:



POPING CEPEDA, Secretary
Dated: 4/2/12



Superior Court of Guam



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February 8, 2012

Chief Justice F. Philip Carbullido
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Your Honor:

I herewith tender my official retirement as Judge of the Superior Court of Guam to be effective March 30, 2012.

Based on my time in service I have reached the maximum years of government service to the people of Guam. It is hard to fathom that I have reached full service. My government career has been incredibly fulfilling.

My fourteen (14) years with the Judiciary are my favorite. I began government service as a summer law clerk in the early 70's, and my career took me through the Executive and Legislative Branches before returning home to the Judiciary on April 14, 1998.

I want to express my personal gratitude to you for the many projects you have assigned me to participate in, the training and conferences you have afforded me to attend, and the support for my work in the trial court. I would like to offer my continued service to the Judiciary in Senior Judicial Status with your approval.

Also with your approval I would like to prepare a letter to my colleagues and to the entire Judicial family announcing my retirement.

Sincerely,


Elizabeth Barrett-Anderson,