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## PUBLIC NOTICE OF CERTIFICATION AND ADOPTION OF REGULATIONS OF

The Department of Finance, Division of Procurement Services

Regulations of the Department of Finance: Chapter 70-30.3 Division of Procurement Services

ACTION TO ADOPT PROPOSED REGULATIONS: The Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Department of Finance ("DOF"), HEREBY ADOPTS AS PERMANENT the Proposed Regulations which were published in the Commonwealth Register at the above-referenced pages, pursuant to the procedures of the Administrative Procedure Act,1 CMC § 9104(a). The DOF announced that it intended to adopt them as permanent, and now does so. (Id.) I also certify by signature below that:

as published, such adopted regulations are a true, complete and correct copy of the referenced Proposed Regulations,

and that they are being adopted without modification or amendment.

**PRIOR PUBLICATION**: Prior publication in the COMMONWEALTH REGISTER as proposed regulations, Volume 43, Number 4, pp 045667-045765, of April 28, 2021.

#### MODIFICATIONS FROM PROPOSED REGULATIONS, IF ANY: None

**AUTHORITY**: These regulations are promulgated under the authority set forth in the Commonwealth Code including, but not limited to, 1 CMC §2557.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** Pursuant to the APA, I CMC sec. 9105(b), these adopted regulations are effective 10 days after compliance with the APA, 1 CMC §§ 9102 and 9104(a) or (b), which, in this instance, is 10 days after this publication in the Commonwealth Register.

COMMENTS AND AGENCY CONCISE STATEMENT: Pursuant to the APA, 1 CMC sec. 9104(a)(2), the agency has considered fully all written and oral submissions respecting the proposed regulations. Upon this adoption of the regulations, the agency, if requested to do so by an interested person, either prior to adoption or within 30 days thereafter, will issue a concise statement of the principal reasons for and against its adoption, incorporating therein its reasons for overruling the considerations urged against its adoption. Please see the following pages for this agency's concise statement, if there are any, in response to filed comments.

The adopted regulations were approved for promulgation by the Attorney General in the above-cited pages of the Commonwealth Register, pursuant to 1 CMC sec. 2153(e) (To review and approve, as to form and legal sufficiency, all rules and regulations to be promulgated by any department, agency or instrumentality of the Commonwealth government, including public corporations, except as otherwise provided by law).



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I DECLARE under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on the 1st day of June, 2021, at Saipan, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands. Certified and ordered by:

David DLG. Atalig Secretary of Finance

Date

Filed and Recorded by:

Esther SN. Nesbitt

Commonwealth Registrar

06.01.2021 Date