

BEFORE THE GUAM PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION



PRACTICE IN REGULATORY  
PROCEEDINGS BEFORE PUC

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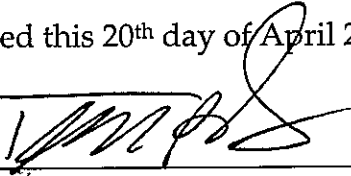
*Administrative Order*

The Guam Public Utilities Commission [PUC] finds it necessary and appropriate to review the statutory framework, which governs who may appear and represent another person [hereinafter referred to as “practice”] in PUC regulatory proceedings. 7 Guam Code Annotated [GCA] section 9A106 provides that it is unlawful for any person to practice law unless he/she is regularly licensed and authorized to do so in Guam. 7 GCA section 9A215 (b)(3) provides that representing or advising another person as to any action before any agency, board or administrative tribunal constitutes the practice of law. PUC finds that it is an agency, board or administrative tribunal within the meaning of this section and that its regulatory proceedings fall within the meaning of the term “action” in the section.

7 GCA section 9A215(c) establishes three relevant exceptions to the rule that only persons who are regularly licensed and authorized to practice law in Guam may practice before PUC: 1] under section 9A215(c)(6), for an attorney who is admitted to practice in another state *and* who is associated with an attorney admitted to practice in Guam *and* who has obtained *pro hac vice* admission from the Superior Court of Guam; 2] under section 9A215(c)(12) for a government employee or official to practice before PUC as part of the person’s official duties; and 3] under section 9A215(c)(13/14), for a bona fide full time employee, officer or director of a corporation who represents the corporation before PUC.

PUC finds that practice before it must conform to the above statutory requirements. Accordingly, any person, who is not a licensed Guam attorney shall, upon making an appearance in any regulatory proceeding before PUC, certify his/her eligibility to practice before PUC under one of the exceptions stated above. This Administrative Order does not affect a person’s right to appear before PUC on his/her own behalf.

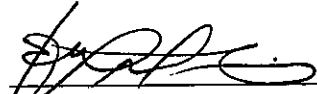
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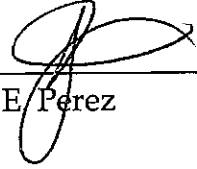
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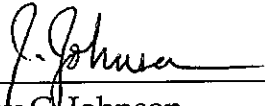
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