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**AN ACT TO *REPEAL* AND *REENACT* CHAPTER 14,
DIVISION 4, TITLE 8, GUAM ADMINISTRATIVE
RULES AND REGULATIONS RELATIVE TO
UPDATING INVASIVE SPECIES FEES AND
COLLECTION AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS.**

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Chapter 14, Division 4, Title 8 Guam Administrative Rules and Regulations, is *repealed* and *reenacted* to read as follows:

“DIVISION 4

INVASIVE SPECIES INSPECTION FEE

CHAPTER 14

INVASIVE SPECIES INSPECTION FEE

§ 14101. Definitions.

1 § 14102. Fee Established.

2 § 14103. Fee Assessment.

3 § 14104. Failure to Pay or Remit Assessed Fee.

4 **§ 14101. Definitions.**

5 As used in this Chapter:

6 (a) “Entity” means a person other than an individual (Definition
7 reference: 18 GCA CH. 17 The Guam Uniform Limited Cooperative
8 Association Act § 17102. Definitions)

9 (b) “Transshipment container” means a container discharged from
10 one vessel, stored in a secure bonded container yard, and transported through
11 another vessel.

12 (c) “Empties container” means an unladen shipping container being
13 returned or repositioned to be used to load and transport cargo.

14 (d) “Break bulk cargo” is defined as cargo that is not containerized,
15 but which is otherwise packaged or bundled. (Reference: Code of Federal
16 Regulations; eCFR 149.1 Definitions)

17 **§ 14102. Fee Established.**

18 The Department of Agriculture establishes a fee for the inspection, quarantine,
19 eradication, and management of invasive species brought into Guam. The fee shall
20 be paid by the entities responsible for paying the freight charges to the transportation
21 company, who shall collect the fee and forward the payment to the Department of
22 Agriculture, Biosecurity Division, provided that the carrier company shall not be
23 liable for any fee that is not paid by the entities responsible for the paying the freight
24 charges to the carrier company. For purposes of this Chapter, a “carrier company” is
25 defined as a company that arranges the transport of cargo from point of origin to a
26 final destination with shipping companies, and may be a shipping company.

27 **§ 14103. Fee Assessments.**

1 (a) The following fees shall be assessed and collected on the items
2 described herein on a per voyage basis:

3 (1) Seventy-five cents (\$0.75) on each one thousand (1,000) pounds
4 of bulk sand, quarried product, or cement bulk freight or part thereof;

5 (2) Twenty-six Dollars (\$26.00) per each twenty-foot (20 ft)
6 equivalent unit (TEU);

7 (3) Two Dollars (\$2.00) on each revenue ton, as defined by the Port
8 Authority of Guam tariff, of break bulk or cargo that is not in a container.

9 (b) Coal bulk freight and liquid bulk freight shall be exempt from fees
10 under this Section.

11 (c) Transshipment container and empty container shall be exempt from
12 fees under this Section.

13 (d) Transshipment of breakbulk cargo shall be exempt from fees under this
14 Section.

15 (e) All fees collected shall be deposited into the Guam Invasive Species
16 Inspection Fee Fund and expended as mandated in Public Law 31-043.

17 **§ 14104. Failure to Pay or Remit Assessed Fee.**

18 The following fees shall be imposed for failure to pay, bill, or remit the Guam
19 Invasive Species Inspection Fee provided for above:

20 (a) A entity responsible for paying the freight charges to the carrier
21 company who fails to pay the fee; or

22 (b) A carrier company that fails to:

23 (1) Remit the fee to the Department of Agriculture within
24 Forty-five (45) calendar days of the invoice billing date to the entities
25 responsible for paying the freight charges to the carrier company, shall
26 pay two times the amount of the fee or Fifty Dollars (\$50), whichever
27 is higher.”