


**BEFORE THE
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICE CORPORATION
RELATIVE TO THE USE OF PDSC LAPSED FUNDS
FOR PARTIAL REIMBURSEMENT OF AIR FARE
RE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ERIC MILLER'S ATTENDANCE
AT THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR STATE COURTS'
"EVIDENCE-BASED/SMARTER SENTENCING WORKSHOP"
SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 24-25, 2014 IN BALTIMORE, MARYLAND**

RESOLUTION NO. PDSC 08-14

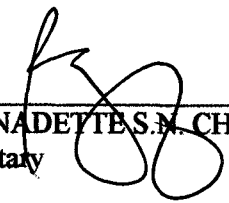
- WHEREAS,** §11113.1 of 12 GCA authorizes the Public Defender Service Corporation (PDSC) to retain unexpended appropriations beginning with Fiscal Year 2000, and to carry these funds over into succeeding fiscal years; and
- WHEREAS,** the PDSC Board of Trustees adopted Resolution No. 99-07 requiring Board approval for the budgeting of and/or spending authorization(s) for these lapsed funds; and
- WHEREAS,** the National Center for State Courts will present the "Evidence-Based/Smarter Sentencing Workshop" in Baltimore, Maryland on March 24-25, 2014 and Executive Director Eric Miller has been recommended for attendance at this forum; and
- WHEREAS,** Executive Director Miller has confirmed flight reservations to this workshop, with the total air fare of \$1,765.49 charged to his personal credit card; and
- WHEREAS,** the National Center for State Courts will only cover a maximum of \$700 in air fare costs, with the remainder to be assumed by the PDSC; and
- WHEREAS,** for Fiscal Year 2014, off-island travel was not budgeted for as instructed by the PDSC Board of Trustees due to budgetary constraints being experienced by the government of Guam; and
- WHEREAS,** the amount of \$1,365.49 is required to ensure Director Miller's attendance, which must come from the Corporation's lapsed funds; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED,** The Board of Trustees of the Public Defender Service Corporation, in its meeting of March 21, 2014, hereby approves the Corporation's request to expend \$1,365.49 of lapsed funds as reimbursement to Executive Director Eric D. Miller for air fare associated with his attendance at the National Center for State Courts' "Evidence-Based/Smarter Sentencing Workshop" in Baltimore, MD.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED this 21st day of March, 2014.



Chief Justice **ROBERT J. TORRES**

ATTEST:



BERNADETTE S.M. CHARGUALAF
Secretary