


**BEFORE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICE CORPORATION  
RELATIVE TO FILLING  
EXISTING AND/OR POTENTIAL  
VACANCIES WITHIN THE  
PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICE CORPORATION**

**RESOLUTION NO. PDSC 99-01**

- WHEREAS, Effective December 30, 1998 Section 12 of Public Law 24-327 mandates a hiring freeze prohibiting government agencies from filling a vacancy without the expressed consent of I Liheslaturan Guahan; and
- WHEREAS, Section 12 of Public Law 24-327 further requires that this consent shall be in the form of a bill, passed by a majority of the members of I Liheslaturan Guahan and signed into law by I Maga'lahaen Guahan or otherwise enacted into law; and
- WHEREAS, A "fast-track procedure" for the hiring of replacements for vacant positions is also specified in Section 12 of Public 24-327; and
- WHEREAS, A position of Legal Secretary I was vacated on January 29, 1999 through the resignation of Ms. Ann D. Borja; and
- WHEREAS, Additional positions may be vacated by those employees who desire to and are eligible for "early retirement" as provided for in Public Law 24-327, or who may resign for various reasons; and
- WHEREAS, The Public Defender Service Corporation, recognizing the absolute necessity of these positions in fulfilling the department's mission, wishes to fill these vacancies as soon as possible; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED, The Board of Trustees of the Public Defender Service Corporation, in its meeting of February 18, 1999, directed the Executive Director to initiate the statutory requirements in order to fill these positions; be it further
- RESOLVED, Efforts to this end shall begin immediately and shall be in compliance with all other applicable laws, rules and regulations for employment with the PDSC.
- DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED this 18th day of March, 1999.



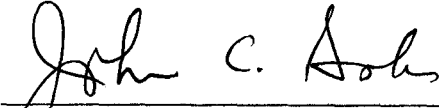
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Honorable PETER C. SIGUENZA, JR.  
Chairman

(Absent)

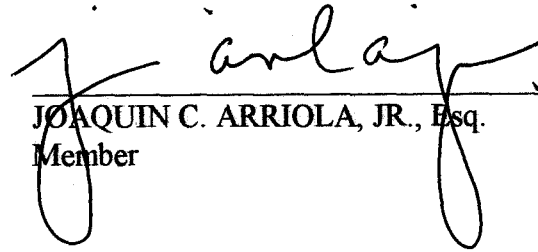
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Honorable ALBERTO C. LAMORENA III  
Vice-Chairman



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Senator JOHN C. SALAS  
Member



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JOAQUIN C. ARRIOLA, JR., Esq.  
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