



COMMONWEALTH of the NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

MEMORANDUM

GOV20-106

DATE: March 15, 2020

FROM: Governor

TO: All Department and Activity Heads

CC: Legislature and All Autonomous Agencies

SUBJECT: Closure of Government Offices and Non-Essential Government Functions until further notice

In consultation with the presiding officers of the Legislature, and the COVID-19 Task Force, Lt. Governor Palacios and I are hereby shutting down all government offices and all non-essential government functions.

All non-essential employees of the Commonwealth's departments and agencies are asked to stay home until further notice.

We will provide additional updates on the government tomorrow. Please stay tuned to media partners and your department and agency heads for updates.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ralph DLG. Torres".

RALPH DLG. TORRES