



GUAM PRODUCT SEAL TASK FORCE

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Minutes

- Trademarking
 - Does Trademarking exempt the manufacturer from the GPS law?
 - NO, but applying for GPS permit is optional.
 - Products not made on Guam but using the words "Guam" or "Chamorro" or their derivatives must still comply with PL31-136.
- Derivatives of "Guam" and "Chamorro"
 - Request for AG's opinion submitted to clearly define derivatives of words above.
 - Suggest to add common phrases to broaden list words governed by GPS law.
- Business License
 - Add to recommendations: Upon renewal, if a business has unpaid fines due to violations of the GPS law, said business will not be allowed to renew its business license until said fine is paid in full. Also, the business shall be prohibited to do apply for a license under a different name until said fines are paid in full.
- Enforcement and citation authority, forfeit and seizure process and cost recovery scale
 - Possibly mirror "Counterfeit Law" Title 9, GCA, Chapter 47. Tailor to fit GPS Program
- Rescind EO 2002-14 that transferred program to DRT.
 - By doing this, the program, in its entirety, will be given back to GEDA, avoiding duplication of legislation
 - Duties may be amended as Legislature sees fit upon consideration of the Task Force's recommendations