NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTIONS

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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region IX

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The U.S. EPA is issuing a notice of proposed actions under the Clean Water Act to issue National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permits to:

Department of the Navy (DON)

Guam Department of Public Works (DPW)

Naval Base Guam

PSC 455, Box 152

FPO AP, Guam 96915

Department of Public Works
542 N. Marine Corps Drive
Tamuning, Guam 96913

NPDES Permit No. GUS040000 NPDES Permit No. GUS040001

Department of the Navy (DON)

Apra Harbor Wastewater Treatment Plant

Guam Waterworks Authority (GWA)

Agat-Santa Rita Sewage Treatment Plant

Agat, Guam 96915

Route 2 Ga'an Point

NPDES Permit No. GU0110019 Agat, Guam 96928
NPDES Permit No. GU0020222

Stormwater:

Two of the proposed NPDES permits would authorize discharges from the municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4s) operated by the permittees generally in the southern half of Guam, plus the MS4s in the vicinity of Hagåtña Bay and Tumon Bay. DON operates the MS4 for the areas under the jurisdiction of the military while the Guam DPW operates the MS4 for most of the rest of the Island. The receiving waters are the coastal and inland waters of Guam. To submit comments, or to obtain additional information including the proposed stormwater permits and administrative records, please contact:

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Wastewater:

The other two proposed NPDES permits would re-authorize existing discharges of treated wastewater from the Agat-Santa Rita Sewage and Apra Harbor Wastewater Treatment Plants to an outfall 1,800 feet offshore in Tipalao Bay. To submit comments, or to obtain

additional information including the proposed wastewater permits and administrative records, please contact:

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EPA is soliciting comments on the four proposed permits. EPA will consider all comments received during the comment period before taking final action. The proposed permits and fact sheets may be found online at: http://www.epa.gov/region09/water/npdes/pubnotices.html