



**GUAM WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD  
RESOLUTION NO. 2017-006**

**A RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE GOVERNMENT TO GOVERNMENT PROCESS FOR  
THE ONE STOP OPERATOR SELECTION RELATIVE TO APPROVAL BY THE GWDB**

*WHEREAS*, the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) was signed into law on July 22, 2014, reauthorizing the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) of 1998; and

*WHEREAS*, pursuant to TEGL 15-16 released on January 17, 2017, WIOA requires Workforce Development Boards to select a One Stop Operator through a competitive process for the continuous support in coordinating the service delivery of the American Job Center partners and service providers; and

*WHEREAS*, One-Stop Operators may be a single entity or a consortium of entities and the types of entities that may be a One-Stop Operator include: An institution of higher education, a community based organization, nonprofit organization, a private for-profit entity, and a government agency or governmental units; and

*WHEREAS*, a key premise behind the WIOA involves a quality One-Stop delivery system folding the interests of the power of e3 (employment, education and economic development) tied to in-demand jobs ([www.doleta.gov/WIOA](http://www.doleta.gov/WIOA)) that through the American Job Center (AJC) the service delivery system supports the interest of the job seeker, workers and businesses related to career services, education and training and supportive services; and

*WHEREAS*, the Guam Workforce Development Board (GWDB) began its review of the One-Stop Operator WIOA requirements in February 2017 to procure a One-Stop Operator to report directly to the GWDB; and

*WHEREAS*, in consultation with US DOL ETA officials, the option to defer to local procurement process and policy provides an opportunity to enter into a collaborative consultative Memorandum of Understanding between government agencies; and

*WHEREAS*, based on recommendations by the One-Stop Operator Technical Workgroup, the Planning Phase for developing a WIOA Complaint Strategy for a Procured AJC Operator, is to utilize the AJC strategy framework of the Government Collaboration Approach which provides an opportunity to address the issues to have a AJC compliant system and the expected financial requirement to be determined during the technical workgroup post work following the final action taken by the GWDB; and

*WHEREAS*, a government collaboration, based on existing policies, **provides for government to government** consultation for technical assistance and AJC research work needed, and in the Design and Implementation Phase, the GWDB supports the Phase-in Transition of the current structure towards a Guam American Job Center Operator with an evaluation and assessment component; and

**WHEREAS**, the final recommendations for the AJC One Stop Operator Transition Final Report for the GWDB, shall include the Designated Government organization and shall be selected through a government to government consultation process and any applicable local procurement policies.

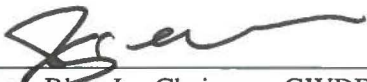
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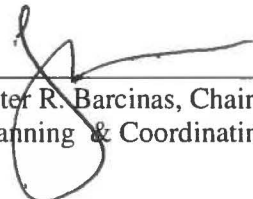
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Guam Workforce Development Board (GWDB) adopt this resolution to recognize the approach for the procurement of the One Stop Operator Selection.

Adopted this 18th day of June, 2017.

**ATTESTED:**

**For the GUAM WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD**

**For**   
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Frank Dias, Jr., Chairman, GWDB

 **FOR**  
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Peter R. Barcinas, Chairman  
Planning & Coordinating Committee