

ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTIVE NO. 26-85

Travel of Executive Branch Personnel and Official Guests of the National Government

WHEREAS, Part VI, Section 1 of Executive Order No. 09 in the reorganization of the executive branch of the government of the Republic of Palau defines the functions of the Bureau of Foreign Affairs, which serves as a conduit through which all incoming and outgoing official communications or contacts shall be channeled; and

WHEREAS, said Section 1(a)(v) authorizes the Bureau of Foreign Affairs to execute the duty and function of providing protocol services for the Republic of Palau, including arrangements for visits by foreign officials and dignitaries;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the President of the Republic of Palau, it is hereby ordered and directed that:

1. Travel by Executive Branch personnel on official business for the government of Palau, and all visits by official guests received by any Ministry of the National Government, shall be coordinated through the Bureau of Foreign Affairs.
2. All requests for official travel or visits by guests of the National Government shall be directed to the Bureau of Foreign Affairs, reviewed by the Minister of State, and approved by the Office of the President.

SO ORDERED AND DIRECTED this 12th day of December, 1985, at Koror State, Republic of Palau.

/s/

Lazarus E. Salii
President of the Republic of Palau