

ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTIVE NO. 35-90

Authorizing Administrative Leave for National Government Employees
to Participate in the Ceremonies and Festivities Honoring
the Palauan Athletes Who Took Part in the 1990 Micronesian Games

WHEREAS, the Palauan athletes who participated in the 1990 Micronesian games on Saipan won most of the medals, including gold, that can be awarded in these regional games thus repeating the feat accomplished in 1969 when our men and women won over seventy-five percent of the medals available in the first Micronesian games; and

WHEREAS, the 1990 athletes were supported by government entities and individuals in their training for the games; and

WHEREAS, the National Government, State Governments, and the Council of Chiefs have decided that appropriate time should be set aside in order for the people of Palau to pay tribute to the successes our men and women achieved on Saipan during the 1990 Micronesian games;

NOW, THEREFORE, by authority vested in me as President of the Republic, I hereby direct that:

- (1) All government employees, who can be spared from their regular duties, are granted administrative leave to participate in the ceremonies and festivities honoring the 1990 Palauan Athletes who did so well on Saipan in the second Micronesian games;
- (2) All Directors shall ensure that essential services to the public shall not be interrupted;
- (3) Administrative leaves for government employees shall commence at 11:30 a.m. on Friday, July 27, 1990 and end at 4:30 p.m. on the same day.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 24th day of July, 1990 at Koror, Republic of Palau.

/s/
Ngiratkel Etpison
President of the Republic of Palau