

ADDENDUM 3 TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 203
Organization of the Executive Branch of the Republic of Palau

WHEREAS, the Division of Marine Law Enforcement is responsible for the enforcement of our laws in the Marine environment; and

WHEREAS, this is a great responsibility that will continue to expand. as the use of our oceans increases; and

WHEREAS, in order to keep up with the expanding duties and obligations, the Division of Marine Law Enforcement should be elevated to the Bureau Level;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as President, pursuant to the Constitution. and Laws of the Republic of Palau, Section 3(e) of Part IV, of Executive Order No. 203 is hereby repealed and a new Section 4 to Part IV is added to read as follows: (All other portions of Executive Order No. 203 shall remain in full force and effect)

4. Bureau of Marine Law Enforcement. The Bureau of Marine Law Enforcement shall be headed by a Director who shall be responsible for marine surveillance of the Republic's territorial waters and its 200-mile Exclusive Economic Zone ("EEZ") and the enforcement of laws and regulations related thereto including, but not limited to, laws and regulations regarding fishing, environmental protection and illicit narcotic trafficking.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 8th day o December, 2008 at Ngerulmud, State s of Melekeok, Republic of Palau.

/s/

Tommy E. Remengesau, Jr.
President of the Republic of Palau