

## **Executive Order No. 339**

*To Order that the Transition Committee created under the authority of Executive Order No. 332 and RPPL No. 8-31 shall continue to have appropriate legal authority following the enactment of RPPL No. 9-4.*

**WHEREAS**, on April 19, 2013, the President executed Executive Order No. 332 in order to create a Water and Sewer Transition Committee to oversee the transfer of employees and assets from the Bureau of Public Works to the Palau Water and Sewer Corporation created by RPPL No. 8-31 without a disruption in the water and sewer operations of the Republic; and

**WHEREAS**, RPPL No. 9-4 amended RPPL No. 8-31 so that RPPL No. 8-31 would cease to have legal effect upon the creation of another autonomous independent entity to handle the water and sewer operations of the Republic, and RPPL No. 9-4 amended the law for Palau Public Utilities Corporation so that Palau Public Utilities Corporation would become the autonomous independent entity to handle the water and sewer operations of the Republic; and

**WHEREAS**, RPPL No. 9-4, Section 6(g), requires that the President create a Transition Committee to oversee the transition and transfer process of the water and sewer operations into Palau Public Utilities Corporation; and

**NOW THEREFORE**, by virtue of the authority set forth in RPPL No. 9-4, the President hereby orders as follows:

That the Transition Committee created by Executive Order No. 332 is to continue to function under the authority of RPPL No. 9-4, Section 6(g), in order to oversee the transition and transfer process of the water and sewer operations, including employees and assets, into Palau Public Utilities Corporation.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this June 17, 2013 in the Republic of Palau.

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