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> Thank you, Michele Huffer Administrative Officer mhuffer@guamopa.org

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October 9, 2012

Ms. Claudia Acfalle Chief Procurement Officer General Services Agency P.O. Box 884 Hagatna, Guam 96932

VIA FACSIMILE: 475-1727

Re: Notice of Receipt of Appeal - OPA-PA-12-016

Dear Ms. Acfalle,

Please be advised that TeleGuam Holdings LLC and its wholly owned subsidiaries, GTA Telecom, LLC; GTA Services, LLC; and Pulse Mobile (hereinafter referred to as "GTA") filed an appeal with the Office of Public Accountability (OPA) on October 8, 2012 of the General Services Agency (GSA)'s response to GTA's protest relative to the procurement solicitation Invitation for Bid No. GSA-064-11: Telecommunication Services. OPA has assigned this appeal case number OPA-PA-12-016.

Immediate action is required of GSA pursuant to the Rules of Procedure for Procurement Appeals, found in Chapter 12 of the Guam Administrative Regulations (GAR). Copies of the rules, the appeal, and all filing deadlines are available at OPA's office and on its website at www.guamopa.org. The first page of the notice of appeal filed with OPA is enclosed for your reference.

Please provide the required notice of this appeal to the relative parties with instructions that they should communicate directly with OPA regarding the appeals. You are also responsible for giving notice to the Attorney General or other legal counsel for your agency. Promptly provide OPA with the identities and addresses of interested parties and a formal entry of appearance by your legal counsel.

Pursuant to 2 GAR, Div. 4, Ch. 12, §12104(3), the submission of one complete copy of the procurement record for the procurement solicitation above, as outlined in Title 5, Chapter 5, §5249 of the Guam Code Annotated is required. However, we recognize that the procurement record for IFB No. GSA-064-11 was previously submitted in procurement appeal case number OPA-PA-12-011 on May 24, 2012. OPA understands that the procurement record is voluminous and to increase efficiency, OPA will not require a duplicate copy of the record. However to ensure the completeness of the procurement record OPA requires GSA to certify that the procurement record that was submitted for GSA-064-11 is complete in its entirety and will be the

same procurement record for OPA-PA-12-016 by **Tuesday, October 16**, **2012** five work days following receipt of this notice of appeal. We also request one copy of the Agency Report for each of the procurement solicitations cited above, as outlined in 2 GAR, Div. 4, Chap. 12, §12105, by **Tuesday, October 23, 2012**, ten work days following receipt of this notice of appeal.

When filing all other required documents with our office, please provide one original and two copies to OPA, and serve a copy to GTA. OPA respectfully asks that GSA provide one original and two copies of the procurement record as the Guam Procurement Law and Regulations require only one copy. The three procurement record copies requested by OPA are distributed as follows: Copy-1: Master File; Copy-2: Public Auditor; and Copy-3: Hearing Officer.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please contact me at 475-0390 ext. 201 or mhuffer@guamopa.org should you have any questions regarding this notice.

Sincerely,

Rodalyn Marquez, CIA, CGFM, CPA, CGAP

Audit Supervisor

Enclosure: First Page of the Notice of Appeal – OPA-PA-12-016

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Appellant.

APPEAL NO. OPA-PA-___

PROCUREMENT APPEAL; EXHIBITS A - I; VERIFICATION

TeleGuam Holdings, LLC and its wholly owned subsidiaries, GTA Telecom, LLC; GTA Services, LLC; and Pulse Mobile, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "GTA") hereby appeal a decision rendered by the General Services Agency of the government of Guam (hereinafter referred to as "GSA") on October 5, 2012, denying GTA's protest of the Bid Status Intent to Award Bid Forms 2 and 3, a part of GSA 064-11, to Pacific Data Systems (hereinafter referred to as "PDS").

I. Appellant's Information.

GTA's address is 624 N. Marine Corps Drive, Tamuning, Guam 96913. For the purposes of this appeal, please direct correspondence to GTA's counsel Elyze M. Iriarte, Esq.,