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IN THE MATTER OF:

ANGELO ROMAN SAJO,

Employee,

VS.

GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY,

Management.

ADVERSE ACTION APPEAL CASE NO.: 21-AA06S

JUDGMENT OF DISMISSAL

The Civil Service Commission hereby dismisses the above captioned case with prejudice pursuant to the signed Stipulation of Settlement, attached hereto.

SO ADJUDGED this 8th day of July, 2021.

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BEFORE THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF GUAM

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ANGELO ROMAN SAJO,

Employee,

ADVERSE ACTION APPEAL Case No. 21-AA06S

VS.

GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

AUTHORITY,

Management.

To the Civil Service Commission of Guam and opposing Management Representative of record.

THIS STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND AGREEMENT, is by and between ANGELO ROMAN SAJO (hereinafter "Employee") and GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY, (hereinafter referred to as "Management") as follows:

## **RECITALS**

- A. The Employee was suspended without pay for thirty (30) workdays from his employment with GMHA beginning April 8, 2021, pursuant to Final Notice of Adverse Action-GMHA-21-04; and,
- B. Employee commenced an Adverse Action Appeal in the Civil Service Commission on April 20, 2021; and,
- C. The parties desire to enter into this Settlement Agreement (hereinafter "Agreement") for this and all pending matters in order to provide for certain arrangements in full settlement and discharge of the Appeal in fair and equitable means and upon the terms and conditions set forth herein.

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27 28 D. The terms and conditions of said Agreement shall become operative upon execution of this Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the mutual promises set forth herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. Purpose of Agreement. Employee and Management acknowledge and agree that this Agreement is a Settlement and Compromise of the referenced matter. It is the intention of the parties by the execution of this Agreement to fully, finally and completely resolve all disputes between them regarding these matters, in the manner more specifically set forth in the terms of this Agreement that follow.

## 2. Employee's Obligation.

- 2.1 Employee hereby withdraws the Adverse Action Appeal from the Civil Service Commission pursuant to the mutually agreeable terms of this agreement.
- 2.2 Employee agrees to waive all rights to pursue any further appeal or claim known and unknown against the GMHA concerning this matter.
- 2.3 Employee agrees to accept a suspension without pay for fifteen (15) workdays in lieu of management's original action to suspend him without pay for thirty (30) workdays of employment.
- 2.4 Employee shall recover the difference of fifteen (15) workdays pay as a result of this agreement.

## 3. Management's Obligation.

- 3.1 Management agrees to modify the adverse action from a thirty (30) workdays suspension without pay to a fifteen (15) workdays suspension without pay.
- 3.2 Management agrees to compensate the employee for fifteen (15) workdays pay as a result of this agreement.
- 4. Performance Accepted. The parties agree and acknowledges: (a) that it accepts performance of its obligations specified in this Agreement as a full and complete compromise of matters involving disputed issues; (b) that the negotiations for this settlement, (including all statements, admissions or communications by the parties of their attorneys or representative) shall not be considered by any of said parties unless fraudulent; and (c) that neither party admits any wrong doing.

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5. Additional Documents. All parties agree to cooperate fully and execute any and all supplementary documents and take all additional actions that may be necessary as appropriate to give full force and effect to the basic terms and intent of this Agreement within thirty (30) days of the effective date.

- 6. Independent Advice of Counsel. Each party represents and declares that it has received independent advice from its respective attorneys and representative with respect to the advisability of making the settlement provided for herein and with respect to the advisability of executing this Agreement. Each party further represents and declares that it has not relied upon any statement or representation by the other party or of any of its partners, agents, employees, or attorneys in executing this Agreement or in making the settlement provided for herein, except as expressly provided for herein.
- 7. <u>Voluntary Agreement</u>. Each party represents and declares that it has carefully read this Agreement, that is knows the contents of this Agreement, and that it has signed the same freely and voluntarily.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date written by their respective names.

Angelo Roman Sajo, Employee

Lillian Perez-Posadas, MN, RN
Hospital Administrator/CEO

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