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U.S. v. Commw. of the Northern Mariana Islands



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

) CIV No.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

) ORDER GRANTING PARTIES' REQUEST TO ENTER THE CONSENT DECREE

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, GOVERNOR OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF

PUBLIC SAFETY, SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND

IMMIGRATION, SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS,

Defendants.

ORDER

Having considered the Consent Decree agreed to by the parties in this matter, and based on the stipulation of the parties in the Consent Decree, the Court hereby finds:

- The prospective relief in the Decree is necessary to correct the violations of the federal rights as set forth in the Complaint.
- 2. The Decree is narrowly drawn, extends no further than necessary to correct these violations of federal rights, and is the least intrusive means necessary to correct these violations of federal rights.
 - 3. The Decree will not have an adverse impact on public

1 safety or the operation of a criminal justice system.

4. The Decree complies with the requirements of the Prison Litigation Reform Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3626 et seq.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the Consent Decree be entered as the judgment of the Court. This order is not an adjudication on the merits and therefore shall have no preclusive effect except between the parties to this litigation.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this _____, 199__.

ALEX R. MUNSON Judge