



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
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June 21, 2024

The Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero
Governor
Office of the Governor
513 West Marine Corps Drive
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Dear Madam Governor:

Thank you for your letter of June 10, 2024 (enclosed), in which you requested a 60-day extension to comment on the Guam Flight Test Proposed Final Environmental Assessment/ Overseas Environmental Assessment (EA/OEA) for proposed missile defense flight tests. Safeguarding the environment, cultural resources, and people of Guam is my highest concern.

The Missile Defense Agency in coordination with Joint Task Force-Micronesia Command and Joint Region Marianas Command will extend the comment period from July 2, 2024 to August 2, 2024. The joint team offers our environmental and flight test experts to be available at Joint Region Marianas Headquarters on July 23 -24, 2024, for a briefing and question and answer session for you, your Cabinet Members and Staff. We will also host a public meeting for the public on July 25, 2024 and will notify the public through public notices of the location and time for the meeting. Please be assured we are committed to defending the people, infrastructure, and island of Guam from an ever increasing threat.

Please contact Mr. Mark Wright, Director, Public Affairs, at 571-231-8212, or mark.wright@mda.mil, if you have questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

HEATH A. COLLINS
Lieutenant General, USAF
Director

Enclosure:
As stated

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