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NEWS RELEASE

PORT LC4 - REEFER LINES BACK ON LINE

Piti, Guam, June 13, 2013: The Port Authority of Guam (Port) Board of Directors and Management announced today that the Port's Load Center 4 (LC4) power lines have been repaired. The LC4 provides the power source to the refrigerated container staging area, gatehouse operations and the container yard lighting.

In May 2013, the PAG discovered that the power feeder cables of LC4 were burnt and required repair and replacement. In the interim, the Port had to operate on generator power and also received generation assistance from Matson. At the request of the Port, Governor Eddie Calvo approved an Emergency Declaration to immediately procure and install new power feeder cables for LC4. DCK Pacific was awarded the emergency contract to address this much needed repair.

On an average week the Port has to provide power service for up to 125 reefer containers.

“Our staff worked diligently with its contractor for the immediate acquisition and installation of new power feeder cables. Through the Emergency Declaration by the Governor, the Port is able to mitigate the hazards and delays in the shipment of perishable goods throughout the island community”, stated General Manager Joanne Brown.