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The Guam Department of Revenue and Taxation Issues DRT Post-Typhoon Mawar Service Update No. 3

Barrigada, GU – The Guam Department of Revenue and Taxation ("DRT") issued its third set of guidance following the disaster declaration due to Typhoon Mawar, *DRT Post-Typhoon Mawar Service Update No. 3.*

Due to damage sustained by Typhoon Mawar, DRT will have limited services available for certain branches.

DRT requests for the community to share this information via Whatsapp, Signal, and other message services due to current communication issues.

Please take note that this information is subject to change.

- I. Vehicle Registration
 - A. The Vehicle Registration Branch will be closed through Friday, June 9, 2023.
 - B. Temporary Vehicle Permits will be issued by the Collections Branch at DRT's main office in Barrigada from Wednesday, May 31, 2023 through Friday, June 9, 2023.
 - C. Accessible Parking Placards will be issued by the Collections Branch at DRT's main office in Barrigada through Friday, June 9, 2023.
 - D. Vehicle Registrations can be renewed online at https://www.myguamtax.com. Insurance and safety inspection information must be uploaded by your insurance carrier and safety inspection agency, respectively.
 - E. Vehicle Registrations Expired in May and June 2023 Vehicle registrations that expired during the period of May 15, 2023 to June 30, 2023 late fees will be waived on the condition that renewal is done by July 3, 2023.

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- II. Guam Driver's License (GDL)/Guam ID Services
 - A. Walk-in services have resumed.
 - B. Individuals with appointments originally scheduled between Monday, May 22, 2023 through Friday, May 26, 2023 will be contacted to reschedule via the phone number or email address provided earlier.
 - C. Expired Driver's Licenses/Guam ID Cards/Permits DRT is automatically extending the expiration date for Guam Driver's Licenses, Guam ID cards, and Guam Driver's Permits which expired from May 1, 2023 through June 30, 2023. Late fees will be waived on the condition that renewal is done by July 3, 2023.
 - D. Please note that Guam Driver's Licenses and Guam IDs can be renewed within 90 days of expiration. DRT recommends that eligible individuals utilize the Drop Box, Mail-In, or Online Application. To schedule an appointment or submit an online application for renewal or replacement go to https://myid.guam.gov.
- III. Business Privilege Tax (GRT)
 - A. Penalties on deposits for April 2023 Business Privilege Tax Returns, which were due on May 22, 2023, will be abated if both the filing and payment are made by June 20, 2023.
 - B. Penalties on deposits for April 2023 Use Tax (Form UST), which were due on May 22, 2023, will be abated if payment is made by June 20, 2023.

IV. Income Tax

In line with the IRS's announcement regarding tax relief for victims of Typhoon Mawar in Guam, deadlines falling on or after May 22, 2023 and before October 2023 are granted additional time to file through October 2, 2023. This includes calendar year partnerships and S corporations whose 2022 extensions are due to run out on September 15, 2023.

Unless an act is specifically listed in Rev. Proc. 2018-58, the postponement of time to file and pay does not apply to the information returns in the W-2, 1094, 1095, 1097, 1098 or 1099 series; to Forms 1042-S, 3921, 3922 or 8027; or to employment and excise tax deposits. However, penalties on deposits due on or after May 22, 2023 and before June 6, 2023, will be abated as long as the tax deposits are made by June 6, 2023.

The IRS's announcement can be found on the IRS website at https://www.irs.gov/newsroom in the Tax Relief in Disaster Situations section.

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- V. Business License
 - a. Any licenses due for renewal which do not require clearance can be renewed online.
 - b. Business licenses expiring from May 2023 through June 30, 2023, penalties will be waived for the period of May 1, 2023 through June 30, 2023 on the condition that renewal is done by July 3, 2023.
- VI. Business License Permit Center (BLPC), formerly known as the One-Stop Center

The BLPC located at the Department of Public Works (DPW) Compound, 542 N. Marine Corps Drive in Tamuning, is temporarily closed.

For any questions regarding this, contact DRT's Call Center at pinadmin@revtax.guam.gov or at 635-1840/1841/7651/1813.

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