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ATTORNEY GENERAL CAMACHO ANNOUNCES SENIOR STAFF APPOINTMENTS; PUSHES TAX COLLECTION INITIATIVE

January 15 2019, Tamuning, Guam- Attorney General Leevin Camacho announced his senior staff this afternoon, reflecting his commitment to public safety, efficiency and the collection of unpaid taxes.

He appointed J. Basil O'Mallan III, who has over 15 years of criminal prosecution, the Chief Prosecutor. AG Camacho named Rebecca Perez, who previously served as the Deputy Attorney General (DAG) of the Child Support Enforcement Division (CSED), as the Office's General Counsel.

The Division of General Counsel will provide legal counsel to executive management on general matters, and assist in the development and implementation of internal policies and procedures, including those related to compliance, employment, and ethics.

AG Camacho appointed Andrew Perez as the new DAG of CSED. DAG Fred Nishihira will remain with the Consumer Division, DAG Carol Hinkle-Sanchez with Family, DAG Ken Orcutt with Litigation, and DAG Karl Espaldon with the Solicitor Division.

Camacho has also made assisting the Department of Revenue and Taxation in the collection of taxes a priority. After meeting with Governor Lourdes Leon Guerrero late last week, the two leaders agreed that the collection of uncollected taxes is a matter of great public importance. The Consumer Protection Division will spearhead the OAG's role in collection efforts.

"The benchmark of efficient government is the ability to collectively come up with creative solutions to tackle community issues such as the collection of taxes," said AG Camacho.

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