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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF GUAM

RE:) Supreme Court of Guam
)
 RELATIVE TO THE ADOPTION) Administrative Order No. ADM25-001
 OF THE JUDICIARY OF GUAM)
 POLICY ON ARTIFICIAL)
 INTELLIGENCE)

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court of Guam recognizes the transformative potential of artificial intelligence (AI) technologies and their implications for the administration of justice; and

WHEREAS, advancements in generative AI present both opportunities for enhanced efficiencies and access to justice and critical concerns regarding authenticity, accuracy, bias, and the integrity of court filings and proceedings; and

WHEREAS, the adoption of an AI policy is essential to guide the use of AI tools by Judiciary employees, attorneys, and litigants, while upholding due process and protecting the rights of all litigants; and

WHEREAS, this policy aligns with the Judiciary of Guam's strategic planning initiative "Pillar of Justice 3: Embracing and Enhancing Technology," aiming to leverage innovative solutions to improve the judicial process and broaden access to justice;

NOW, THEREFORE, under the court's supervisory jurisdiction over the judicial branch of Guam as vested by the Organic Act of Guam, including, but not limited to, its authority to issue orders necessary for the supervision of the judicial branch and the Chief Justice's authority to issue

administrative orders as necessary for the efficient administration of the judicial branch, *see* 48 U.S.C. § 1424-1(a), (b), it is hereby **ORDERED**:

1. The Supreme Court of Guam adopts the “Judiciary of Guam Policy on Artificial Intelligence,” attached as Exhibit A and to become effective on May 1, 2025, which outlines ethical standards, usage guidelines, and the responsibilities of attorneys, judges, and court personnel regarding the employment of AI technologies within the judiciary and in legal proceedings;
2. All stakeholders within the court system must conduct thorough reviews of AI-generated content to ensure accuracy, compliance with legal and ethical obligations, and the integrity of judicial processes;
3. The Judiciary of Guam will implement continuous educational initiatives for its personnel to stay informed about advancements in AI technologies; and
4. The Judiciary of Guam will engage in periodic evaluations of the policy to adapt to technological advancements while safeguarding the foundational principles of justice.

SO ORDERED this 30th day of April 2025.

/s/
F. PHILIP CARBULLIDO
 Associate Justice

/s/

KATHERINE A. MARAMAN
Associate Justice

/s/

ROBERT J. TORRES
Chief Justice

EXHIBIT A



JUDICIARY OF GUAM POLICY ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Effective May 1, 2025

Pursuant to Administrative Order No. ADM25-001

Recognizing the transformative potential of artificial intelligence (AI), the Judiciary of Guam is dedicated to maintaining the highest ethical standards in the administration of justice. The Judiciary acknowledges the rapid advancements in generative AI technologies that can produce human-like text, images, video, audio, and other media. As AI continues to integrate within our legal system, it offers promising efficiencies and enhanced access to justice. Yet, it also presents critical concerns about authenticity, accuracy, bias, and the overall integrity of court filings, proceedings, evidence, and judicial decisions. It is imperative that the judicial branch comprehensively understands both the capabilities and limitations of AI technology.

The Judiciary of Guam is committed to vigilant oversight of AI technologies to protect due process, ensure equal protection, and promote access to justice. Any unsubstantiated or deliberately misleading AI-generated content that fosters bias, prejudices litigants, or obstructs truth-finding and fair decision-making will not be tolerated.

While the use of AI by litigants, attorneys, judges, judicial clerks, research attorneys, and court personnel may be expected and should not be discouraged, it must adhere to all relevant legal and ethical standards. Disclosure of AI usage should not be mandated in court pleadings.

The established Rules of Professional Conduct and the Code of Judicial Conduct apply fully to the use of AI technologies. **It is the responsibility of attorneys, judges, and self-represented litigants to ensure the integrity of their final submissions.** All users are required to conduct thorough reviews of AI-generated content prior to its submission in any judicial proceeding to ensure accuracy and compliance with legal and ethical obligations. Before employing any AI technology, users must familiarize themselves with both the general capabilities of AI and the specific functionalities of the tools they intend to use.

The Judiciary of Guam emphasizes the importance of safe AI practices, adhering strictly to laws and regulations governing privacy and confidentiality. AI applications must not compromise sensitive information, including confidential communications, personal identifying information, protected health information, justice and public safety data, security-related information, or any information that could undermine judicial conduct standards or public trust.

This policy reflects the Judiciary of Guam's unwavering commitment to uphold foundational principles while exploring the benefits of innovative AI technologies within a dynamic and evolving landscape. The Judiciary will engage in regular reassessments of its policies in response to advancements in technology, with an emphasis on maintaining public trust and confidence in our judicial system. **Judges remain ultimately responsible for their decisions, irrespective of technological advancements.**

The Judiciary of Guam encourages the development of technologies that enhance services for all court users and facilitate equitable access to justice. To support this initiative, the Judiciary will provide ongoing education on emerging technologies, including AI.

Source Note: This policy was adapted from the policy developed by the Illinois Supreme Court.

