

Commonwealth of Puerto Rico  
*Department of Justice*  
Electronic Signatures Infrastructure Committee

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**FOR THE ADOPTION OF NEW REGULATION**

All citizens are hereby notified that the Electronic Signatures Infrastructure Committee, attached to the Department of Justice of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, proposes to adopt a new regulation to be known as

“REGLAMENTO PARA LA CONCESIÓN DE LICENCIAS Y  
FISCALIZACIÓN DE AUTORIDADES CERTIFICADORAS Y  
AUTORIDADES DE REGISTRO”,

The proposed regulation will be adopted to establish the procedures for the issuance of digital signature certificates within the scope enacted by the Act of Electronic Signatures, Act No. 359 of September 16, 2004. It regulates, in addition, the use of digital signatures as a category with specific characteristics within the concept of electronic signatures.

This regulation will be adopted pursuant to the dispositions of Act No. 359 September 16, 2004 which requires in its Article 23(d) the formulation and adoption of regulation for the proceedings of the Electronic Signatures Infrastructure Committee; and Act No. 170 of August 12, 1988, as amended, also known as the “Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Uniform Administrative Procedure Act”.

The text of the regulation will be available for public inspection in the Library of the Department of Justice, located in the ninth floor of the Department of Justice’s Main Building, at 602 Olimpo Street, Miramar, Santurce, Puerto Rico. Business hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 and from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. It is also available through the Internet at [www.justicia.gobierno.pr](http://www.justicia.gobierno.pr).

Any party interested in submitting comments or requesting a hearing may do so, in writing, within thirty (30) days following the publication of this notice, stating the reasons backing his claim. Requests or comments may be submitted to: Julio C. Fragoso González, Esq., President of the Committee, P.O. Box 9020192, San Juan, Puerto Rico 00902-0192, or through the Internet at [lmiranda@justicia.gobierno.pr](mailto:lmiranda@justicia.gobierno.pr).

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.