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GPA Begins Pre-Storm Measures in Preparation of Tropical Disturbance (Invest 95W)

(Fadian, Mangilao) – With Tropical Disturbance (Invest 95W) developing southeast of Guam, the Guam Power Authority (GPA) continues to take proactive measures to prepare the island-wide power system for the potential impacts of tropical storm-force winds. As part of our ongoing storm preparedness protocols, GPA crews are working to safeguard power plants and substations, ensuring they are fortified against tropical storm conditions.

These preparations include:

- **Vegetation Management:** Although vegetation clearing is conducted year-round, GPA's Transmission and Distribution (T&D) teams are giving special attention to areas known for overgrowth, including excessive trees and bamboo, which can pose risks during storms.
- **Generator Readiness:** GPA teams are checking and fueling standby generators, including those for water wells, to ensure they are operational and ready to provide backup power if needed.

Please be advised that GPA crews will be following a schedule crafted to address main primary lines. In light of the impending weather system, crews are out in full force to maximize preparedness before any potential impact.

Stay informed and prepared by listening to updates from the National Weather Service (NWS) and Guam Homeland Security/Office of Civil Defense.

Please visit www.guampowerauthority.com and GPA's social media pages for more information and more storm preparedness tips.

"How to Build an Emergency Supply Kit" <https://www.facebook.com/reel/3746536755624250>

"Storm Preparedness Plan" <https://www.facebook.com/reel/894272975934011>

For the latest NWS or GHS/OCD advisory information, visit:

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