

## Felix Camacho wrote:

I would like to provide testimony on the benefits of USES on my residence. I have lived in Talo Verde Estates since December of 2010 and had the unit installed for several reasons. Our island has made significant strides in power generation, distribution, and efficiency over the last decade. I have seen marked improvements since the days of rolling brown outs and power black outs, recovery from devastating Typhoons, and the transition of facilities and responsibilities of power generation from the Department of Defense to the Guam Power Authority. GPA has hardened the infrastructure, buried transmission lines, connected vital facilities such as the Airport, Seaport, Hospital, Telecommunications facilities, etc. to strategic power substations so that in the event of major natural disasters, vital services will see little interruption or quick recovery to continue providing electricity to the community. That being said, I felt it necessary to do all I can to improve the efficiency, and quality of power entering my residence.

Guam is a stand alone, isolated island location that must rely on its own capacity to produce electricity. Unlike the US mainland, we cannot buy electricity from other neighboring islands or states. Our Power plants burn imported crude oil, so you can understand how expensive it is to produce and distribute electricity to the island community.

I had the USES system installed to reduce the kilowatt demand; to provide for improved power quality entering my residence, and to improve the efficiency of my two central Air Condition compressors. I believe all of that was achieved by installing USES, and in a short amount of time I have recovered my investment. Guam has experienced several rate increases over the last 18 months with more to come, and the USES has helped cope with the ever increasing cost of electricity.

I would highly recommend this product to residential, federal and local government agencies, and most especially commercial businesses.

Regards,

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