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AN ACT TO AMEND §§ 66102 AND 66104.2 OF CHAPTER 66, TITLE 10 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE PARTICIPATION OF NON-IMMIGRANT ALIENS ADMITTED UNDER THE COMPACTS OF FREE ASSOCIATION IN THE CIVILIAN VOLUNTEER POLICE RESERVE.

### BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

**Section 1.** § 66102 of Chapter 66, Title 10 of the Guam Code Annotated is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

## "§ 66102. Recruitment.

The Chief of Police shall recruit on an entirely volunteer basis, local residents who desire to make available their services to assist the Guam Police Department in carrying out its crime prevention, fire control and emergency functions. The Chief of Police shall further promulgate rules and regulations regarding the age, health and other requirements for recruitment purposes. Nothing in this Section shall prohibit the Chief of Police from recruiting a resident who is a non-immigrant alien admitted under the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau."

**Section 2.** § 66104.2 of Chapter 66, Title 10 of the Guam Code Annotated is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

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# "§ 66104.2. Authorization for Full-Time CVPR Officers.

The Guam Police Department (GPD) may employ CVPR Officers on a temporary, full-time basis, if such Officers are active members and have attained at least two thousand eighty (2,080) cumulative service hours, if a critical need arises because of military activation of police officers or absence due to a long-term disability status which has been certified by a medical doctor. The GPD may exercise this authority provided its authorized budget for personnel is not exceeded. The CVPR Officer shall return to volunteer status pursuant to this Chapter when the incumbent returns from military service or long-term disability, or at the discretion of the Chief of Police. CVPR Officers may only serve as equivalent of Police Officer I and be compensated hourly only as a Police Officer I, Step I, and shall be eligible to receive sick leave, and be eligible for the Government of Guam Health Insurance Program, and shall not be eligible for a stipend as a Reserve Officer for the duration of their temporary employment by the Department. Notwithstanding 10 GCA § 77114(a)(1), a CVPR Officer who serves as a Police Officer I, Step I, under this section may be a non-immigrant alien admitted under the Compact of Free Association between the United States and the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau."