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AN ACT TO AMEND ITEM (a) OF § 90.90 OF CHAPTER 90, 9 GCA RELATIVE TO PARTICIPATION IN PRISON INDUSTRIES; AND TO AMEND ITEM (b)(1) OF § 90.91, CHAPTER 90, 9 GCA, RELATIVE TO THE USE OF FUNDS DEPOSITED INTO THE PRISON INDUSTRIES REVOLVING FUND.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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Section 1. Item (a) of § 90.90 of Chapter 90, 9 GCA is amended to read:

"(a) Prison Industries, Established. The Department of Corrections is hereby authorized to 3 4 establish such prison industries as may be feasible to provide a means for inmates and detainees to 5 receive job training and skills development; to provide opportunities for the earning of wages to be 6 used to pay restitution to victims of crime, and payment of fines and court costs; and, to provide additional means for funding certain recurring expenses of the Department. The Department shall 7 8 separate and designate each prison industry to be established as occurring "within the secured perimeter" or occurring "outside the secured perimeter". This Act is not meant to replace the 9 activities authorized by Chapter 84 of Article 1, Title 9, Guam Code Annotated, but shall be viewed 10 as authorizing additional activities. This Chapter shall not supersede, nor affect any programs 11 undertaken pursuant to Chapter 81 of this Title." 12

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Section 2. Item (b)(1) of § 90.91 of Chapter 90, 9 GCA is amended to read:

14 "(1) Funds in the Prison Industries Revolving Fund may be used to purchase clothing 15 for prisoners and detainees, foodstuffs for the dining facility, galley catering services and equipment, 16 medical/dental supplies, prescription and over-the-counter medicines, sanitary/hygiene supplies and 17 other pharmaceutical supplies for prisoners and detainees, including, payment for prisoner-detainee 18 maintenance costs in any off island prison or medical institutions, payment for overtime and related

- 1 personnel costs for personnel specifically assigned to tasks involving Prison Industries, and for
- 2 training of Department of Corrections personnel."