I MINA' BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2008 (Second) REGULAR SESSION

Bill No. 215 (LS)

Introduced by:

v.c. pangelinan

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LOT PURCHASE WITHIN THE PIGUA SUBDIVISION FOR MR. AND MRS. MATTHEW REYES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. *I Liheslaturan Guahan* finds that Public Law 20-72 provides for the sale of land to qualified Merizo residents in the Pigua Subdivision. Section 2 of Public Law 20-72 stipulates that the subdivided lots in the Pigua Subdivision shall be sold to applicants who own no land, provided, however, that if a person owns only property which is not developable as a residential site, such person may exchange such property on a value for value basis for a lot within the Pigua Project if such person meets all other qualifications set forth in the Act; and are subject to the following priorities: (1) to those who are tenants of any portion of the government property being subdivided; (2) to those Merizo residents who are veterans; (3) to married couples and single parents, provided, however, that all applicants are residents of Merizo.

I Liheslatura further finds that Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Reyes, residents of Merizo, meet the qualifications set forth to purchase a lot within the Pigua Subdivision. The Reyes family has since determined that an available lot for

- purchase still exists and requests I Liheslatura to authorize such purchase in
- 2 accordance with Section 5 of Public Law 20-72 which expressly states "all sales
- 3 or exchanges authorized by this Act shall be deemed approved by the
- 4 Legislature." It is therefore I Liheslaturan Guahan's intent to approve the
- 5 Reyes family's request to purchase a lot within the Pigua Subdivision in
- 6 consideration of the family already meeting established qualifications.
- 7 Section 2. Authorization for Pigua Subdivision Lot Purchase.
- 8 Notwithstanding any provision of law, I Liheslaturan Guahan hereby approves
- 9 the lot purchase for Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Reyes to acquire Lot 10, Tract 261
- 10 referenced in L.M. 199-FY77 situated in Y-Pigua, Municipality of Merizo,
- pursuant to PL 20-72.
- Section 3. Severability. If any of the provisions of this Act or the
- 13 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
- invalidity shall not affect any other provision or application of this Act which
- can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
- end the provisions of this Act are severable.