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AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 7, SECTION 7113 OF
TITLE 17 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO
LIMITATIONS ON CAPACITY LEVELS FOR
CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

2 Section 1. Amendment to Chapter 7, Section 7113 of Title 17 GCA.

3 Chapter 7, Section 7113, of Title 17 Guam Code Annotated is hereby amended
4 to read as follows:

5 "§ 7113. Limitations on Capacity Levels for the Construction of New
6 Public Schools.

7 All public schools built on Guam shall be designed and constructed for
8 student enrollment capacity limits as follows:

9 (a) Elementary Schools: five hundred fifty (550) students;

10 (b) Middle Schools: seven hundred (700) students; and

11 (c) High Schools: one thousand two hundred (1,200) students.

1 The school capacity limitations of this Section shall apply only to school
2 projects initiated after September 30, 1997. ~~The combined student~~
3 ~~enrollment in an existing school from any merger or consolidation of~~
4 ~~any existing schools at the time of such merger shall not exceed the~~
5 ~~capacity limits set herein.~~ The GPSS may, subject to the approval of the
6 Guam Education Policy Board, exceed the capacity limits ~~for school~~
7 ~~mergers by not more than five percent (5%)~~ set forth in this section
8 provided that such ~~merger~~ adjustment ~~would~~ result in substantial cost
9 savings and not endanger student and employee health and safety.
10 These provisions shall not apply to school campuses that are
11 temporarily used for double sessions.

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