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AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY TO SOLICIT AND CONTRACT, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION OF VENDOR SERVICES RELATIVE TO CAFETERIA, SNACK BAR, RESTAURANT, AND/OR OTHER FOOD SERVICE ACTIVITIES, BY ADDING A NEW SUBSECTION (u) TO §80109 OF CHAPTER 80, TITLE 10, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative findings and intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds it appropriate that the Guam Memorial Hospital Authority have the statutory authorization to offer private vendors the opportunity to enter into agreements/contracts with the hospital to provide services relative to the operation of cafeteria, snack bar, restaurant, and/or other food service activities. This will help insure and facilitate the availability of food services for hospital staff and visitors.

Section 2. A new Subsection (u) is added to §80109 of Chapter 80, Title 10,

## Guam Code Annotated, to read:

- "(u) Retain or contract, in accordance with applicable procurement law, services relative to the providing of cafeteria and/or other dietetic services, in whole or in part as determined to be necessary and appropriate. This shall include, but not be limited to, the management and operation of services for cafeteria, snack bar, restaurant, and/or other food related services or activities as deemed appropriate.
  - 1. The solicitation and contracting for dietetic services may include, to the extent deemed practicable, appropriate and necessary, the use of assets, real property and/or facilities, and as further provided for in accordance with Subsection (t) of this §80109.
  - 2. The authorization pursuant to this subsection (u) to retain and contract services relative to the providing of cafeteria and/or other dietetic services, shall not apply or pertain to replacing, supplanting and/or eliminating GMHA's in-house Dietetic Services department currently providing nutritional food services for inpatients."