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Introduced by:

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Committee on Rules, Federal,
Foreign & Micronesian Affairs,
and Human & Natural
Resources

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND REENACT SECTIONS 5 AND 6 OF
PUBLIC LAW NO. 31-279 RELATIVE TO SALARY REDUCTIONS
AND ANNUAL LEAVE

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

2 **Section 1.** Sections 5 and 6 of Public Law No. 31-279, resulting from
3 the lapse into law of Bill No. 507-31, are *repealed* and *re-enacted* as follows:

4 **"Section 5. Salary Reduction.** Notwithstanding any other law
5 the base salary of each elected official of the government of Guam
6 with base pay greater than Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) shall be
7 reduced by ten percent (10%) effective January 8 2013 to December
8 31, 2014, but said salary for those employees shall not be reduced
9 below Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000). This provision shall not
10 apply to Judges or Justices of the Supreme Courts of Guam or those
11 in federally funded positions."

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1 **“Section 6. Elimination of Annual Leave Benefit for Senators.**

2 Subsection (a) of § 4109 of Title 4 Guam Code Annotated is hereby
3 *amended* to read:

4 “(a) Annual leave shall be granted to employees occupying
5 permanent positions, except personnel of the Department of
6 Education, the Guam Community College or the University of
7 Guam, who are employed on a school year basis, and judges
8 and justices of the Judiciary of Guam who are not members of
9 the defined benefits retirement plan of the government of
10 Guam, in accordance with the following schedule:

11 (1) One-half day (4 hours) for each full bi-weekly pay
12 period in the case of employees with less than five (5) years of
13 service;

14 (2) Three-fourths day (6 hours) for each bi-weekly pay
15 period in the case of employees with five (5) years of service
16 but less than fifteen (15) years of service.

17 (3) One (1) day (8 hours) for each full biweekly pay
18 period in the case of employees with fifteen (15) years or more
19 service.

20 For purposes of this Subsection (a), all elected officials except
21 members of the Guam Education Policy Board, members of I
22 *Liheslaturan Guåhan*, and the Consolidated Commission on Utilities
23 shall be deemed employees occupying permanent positions.”