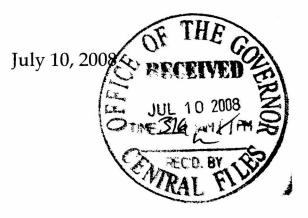


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MINA' BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN TWENTY-NINTH GUAM LEGISLATURE

155 Hessler Place, Hagåtña, Guam 96910



The Honorable Felix P. Camacho I Maga'lahen Guåhan Ufisinan I Maga'lahi Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Maga'lahi Camacho:

Transmitted herewith are Bill Nos. 199(EC), 232(LS), 238(LS), 267(EC), 273(EC), 284(EC), 285(EC), 287(EC) & 294(EC); and Substitute Bill Nos. 266(EC), 278(LS) & 279(LS) which were passed by *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* on July 9, 2008.

Sincerely,

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

Enclosures (12)



I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2008 (SECOND) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN

This is to certify that Bill No. 238(LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTION (b) OF §19.30 OF CHAPTER 19 OF TITLE 9 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ASSAULT AGAINST A PEACE OFFICER", was on the 9th day of July, 2008, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D. **Speaker**

Attest

Tin Rose Muña Barnes Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this 10 day of 100 day of 100 day of 100, at 316 o'clock P.M.

sistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED:

FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'lahen Guåhan

Date:

Public Law No. _____

I MINA' BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2008 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 238 (LS)

As amended.

Introduced by:

Frank T. Ishizaki A. B. Palacios, Sr. <u>Frank F. Blas, Jr.</u> Edward J.B. Calvo B. J.F. Cruz James V. Espaldon Mark Forbes Judith P. Guthertz, DPA J. A. Lujan Tina Rose Muña Barnes v. c. pangelinan R. J. Respicio Dr. David L.G. Shimizu Ray Tenorio J. T. Won Pat, Ed.D.

AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTION (b) OF §19.30 OF CHAPTER 19 OF TITLE 9 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ASSAULT AGAINST A PEACE OFFICER.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Subsection (b) of §19.30 of Chapter 19 of Title 9 of the Guam
Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

4 "(b) An assault against a peace officer who is performing his official
5 duties as a peace officer is a felony of the third degree if the perpetrator
6 knew *or* should have known that the victim was a peace officer. In any
7 assault against a peace officer, the jury *shall*, with any finding of guilty, also

return a finding as to whether the perpetrator had actual knowledge that the 1 victim was a peace officer. If the jury finds that the perpetrator had actual 2 knowledge that the victim was a peace officer, the court shall impose a 3 minimum sentence of one (1) year in prison without suspension, probation, 4 parole, or work release. For purposes of this §19.30, peace officer means 5 one so defined in §5.55, Title 8, Guam Code Annotated, and to also include 6 those individuals serving in a volunteer law enforcement capacity within any 7 government of Guam law enforcement entity." 8