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## I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2009 (FIRST) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Bill No. 55 (COR), "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF THE VETERANS **MEMORIAL** CEMETERY," was on the 3rd day of April, 2009, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D. Speaker

Atteste

**Rose Muña Barnes** Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this \_\_\_\_\_ day of and 2009, at

<u>4:45</u> o'clock P.M.

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Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED:

FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'lahen Guåhan

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Public Law No.

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Bill No. 55 (COR)

As amended.

Introduced by:

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#### AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF THE VETERANS MEMORIAL CEMETERY.

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**BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:** 

Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds 2 Section 1. that based on the testimony provided by the Director of the Bureau of Budget and 3 Management Research during the Legislative Session on Bill No. 207(LS), the FY 4 2009 projected revenues for the Guam Highway Fund were understated as a result 5 6 of the misclassification of revenues for the Highway Fund. The Director further testified that the projection for FY 2009 for this fund was now at Eighteen Million 7 8 Nine Hundred Fifty-seven Thousand Eight Hundred Eleven Dollars (\$18,957,811), an increase of Two Million Five Hundred Seventy-one Thousand Twenty-four 9

1 Dollars (\$2,571,024) over I Maga'lahi's original request of Sixteen Million Three 2 Hundred Eighty-six Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-seven Dollars (\$16,386,787). I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that as a result of the 3 4 testimony provided, a floor amendment was made to increase the FY 2009 revenue estimate for the Guam Highway Fund to Eighteen Million Nine Hundred Fifty-5 seven Thousand Eight Hundred Eleven Dollars (\$18,957,811), however, no 6 7 corresponding appropriation had been made, or requested by the Administration, leaving an unappropriated revenue balance of Two Million Five Hundred Seventy-8 9 one Thousand Twenty-four Dollars (\$2,571,024).

10 Therefore, it is the intent of *I Liheslatura* to provide additional funding to 11 the Office of Veterans Affairs from this fund for the purposes stated herein.

12 Section 2. Maintenance of the Veterans Memorial Cemetery. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the sum of Two Hundred Thousand 13 14 Dollars (\$200,000) is appropriated from the FY 2009 Guam Highway Fund revenues to the Office of Veterans Affairs for the operations and maintenance of 15 the Veterans Memorial Cemetery. Said funds shall not be subject to any transfer 16 17 authority of I Maga'lahen Guåhan.