

I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Bill No. 264-30 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND §5007 OF ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 5 OF TITLE 5, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES OF THE GUAM VISITORS BUREAU," was on the 22nd day of January, 2010, duly and regularly passed.



Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D.
Speaker

Attested:



Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan* this 27 day of Jan., 2010, at 4:00 o'clock P.M.



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Date: _____

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Bill No. 264-30 (COR)

As amended on the Floor.

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**AN ACT TO AMEND §5007 OF ARTICLE 1 OF
CHAPTER 5 OF TITLE 5, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED,
RELATIVE TO THE PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES OF
THE GUAM VISITORS BUREAU.**

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

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds
3 that due to procurement code restrictions on the making of advance payments, the
4 overseas promotion activities of the Guam Visitors Bureau (GVB) is hampered by
5 the Bureau's inability to procure preferred floor space at tourism conventions and
6 expositions which require deposit payments. Further, GVB cannot realize the
7 savings potential of early payment discounts afforded those with the ability to pay

1 in advance. It is the intent of *I Liheslatura* that GVB be exempted from the
2 procurement code prohibition against advance payments in its overseas marketing
3 activities.

4 **Section 2.** §5007 of Article 1 of Chapter 5, Title 5, Guam Code
5 Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

6 **“§5007. Policy Against Advance Payments.**

7 With the exception of off-island orders of the Department of
8 Education and off-island purchases of goods and services of the Guam
9 Visitors Bureau directly related to its overseas promotions, *no* procurement
10 *shall* be made under this Chapter which *shall* require advance payment.
11 The Board of Directors of the Guam Visitors Bureau *shall*, pursuant to the
12 Administrative Adjudication Act, formulate rules and regulations for the
13 exercise of advanced payment authority.”

14 **Section 3. Effective Date.** This Act *shall* take effect upon adjudication of
15 the rules and regulations required under Section 2 of this Act.