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The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Speaker *Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* 155 Hessler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is **Bill No. 253(EC)**, "AN ACT TO *ADD* A NEW ARTICLE 2 TO CHAPTER 26 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO RESTRICTING THE USE OF TELEPHONE RECORDS WITHOUT CONSENT" which was signed into law on January 30, 2009 as **Public Law 29-141**.

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FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'låhen Guåhan Governor of Guam

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

This is to certify that **Bill No. 253 (EC)**, "AN ACT TO *ADD* A NEW ARTICLE 2 TO CHAPTER 46 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO RESTRICTING THE USE OF TELEPHONE RECORDS WITHOUT

CONSENT," was on the 30th day of December, 2008, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D. Speaker

Attested:

Tina Rose Muña Barnes Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahen Guåhan* this <u>31</u> day of <u>Dec</u>, 2008, at

3:10 o'clock P.M.

Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED:

FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'lahen Guåhan

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Public Law No. _____29-141

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Bill No. 253 (EC)

As amended.

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO *ADD* A NEW ARTICLE 2 TO CHAPTER 46 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO RESTRICTING THE USE OF TELEPHONE RECORDS WITHOUT CONSENT.

1	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:
2	Section 1. A new Article 2 is hereby <i>added</i> to Chapter 46 of Title 9, Guam
3	Code Annotated, to read:
4	"Article 2
5	TELEPHONE RECORDS; OBTAINING, SELLING, OR RECEIVING
6	WITHOUT CONSENT.

1 **§46201. Definitions.** As used in this Section: (a) *Caller* 2 *Identification Record* means a record that is delivered electronically to the 3 recipient of a telephone call simultaneously with the reception of the 4 telephone call and that indicates the telephone number from which the 5 telephone call was initiated *or* similar information regarding the telephone 6 call.

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(b) *Customer* means a person who subscribes to telephone service.

8 (c) *Telephone Record* means a record in written, electronic *or* oral 9 form, *except* a caller identification record and subscriber list information 10 that is created by a telephone service provider and that contains any of the 11 following information with respect to a customer:

12 (1) Telephone numbers that have been dialed by the 13 customer.

14 (2) Telephone numbers pertaining to calls made to the 15 customer.

16(3)The time when calls were made by the customer or to the17customer.

18 (4) The duration of calls made by the customer *or* to the19 customer.

20 (5) The location(s) from which calls were initiated by the
21 customer *or* received from the customer.

(d) *Telephone Service* means the conveyance of two (2)-way voice
communication in analog, digital *or* other form by any medium, including
wire, cable, fiber optics, cellular, broadband personal communications
services *or* other wireless technologies, satellite, microwave *or* at any
frequency over any part of the electromagnetic spectrum. Telephone service

- includes the conveyance of voice communication over the Internet and
 telephone relay service.
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(e) *Telephone Service Provider* means a person who provides telephone service to a customer.

5 §46202. Prohibition on Use of Telephone Records. No person may do
6 any of the following:

7 (a) Obtain, attempt to obtain *or* conspire with another to obtain a
8 telephone record that pertains to a customer who is a resident of Guam,
9 without the customer's consent by doing any of the following:

10 (1) Making a false *or* deceptive statement to an employee,
11 representative *or* agent of a telephone service provider.

12 (2) Making a false *or* deceptive statement to a customer of a
13 telephone service provider.

14 (3) Accessing such customer's telephone record via the15 Internet.

- 16 (4) Knowingly providing to a telephone service provider a 17 document that is fraudulent, that has been lost *or* stolen *or* that has 18 been obtained by fraud *or* contains a false, fictitious *or* fraudulent 19 statement *or* representation.
- (b) Ask another person to obtain a telephone record knowing that
 the person will obtain the telephone record in a manner prohibited under
 this Section.
- 23 (c) Sell *or* offer to sell a telephone record obtained in a manner
 24 prohibited under this Section.

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§46203. Penalties:

(a) A person who violates this Section is guilty of a third degree
felony, a fine not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or
imprisonment not to exceed three (3) years or both, if the violation involves
one (1) telephone record.

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6 (b) A person who violates this Section is guilty of a second degree 7 felony, a fine *not to exceed* Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) *or* 8 imprisonment *not to exceed* ten (10) years *or* both, *if* the violation involves 9 two (2) *or* more telephone records.

- 10 (c) A person who violates this Section is guilty of a third degree 11 felony, a fine *not to exceed* Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) *or* 12 imprisonment *not to exceed* fifteen (15) years *or* both, *if* the violation 13 involves *more than* ten (10) telephone records.
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§46204. Additional Penalties.

(a) In addition to the penalties authorized under §46203, a person
who violates this Section may be required to forfeit personal property used *or* intended to be used in the violation.

(b) In an action to enforce this Section, the court *shall* award to a
person who is the subject of a telephone record involved in a violation of
this Section all of the following:

(1) The amount of the person's pecuniary loss suffered
because of a violation of this Section, *if* proof of the loss is submitted
to the satisfaction of the court *or* One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000),
whichever is greater.

(2) The amount of any gain to the violator as a result of theviolation.

Exceptions. This Section does not apply to any of the 1 **§46205**. 2 following: 3 (a) Action by a law enforcement agency in connection with the official duties of the law enforcement agency. 4 5 (b) A disclosure by a telephone service provider, *if* any, of the following applies: 6 The telephone service provider reasonably believes the 7 (1)disclosure is necessary to do any of the following: 8 Provide telephone service to a customer. 9 (A) Protect an individual or the telephone service 10 **(B)** provider from fraudulent, abusive or unlawful use of telephone 11 service or a telephone record. 12 13 (2)The disclosure is made to the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. 14 The disclosure is authorized by Guam or federal law or 15 (3)regulation. 16 The disclosure is related to testing the security 17 (4)procedures or systems of the telephone service provider for 18 maintaining the confidentiality of customer information. 19 The disclosure is to a government entity, if the telephone 20 (5)company provider reasonably believes that an emergency involving 21 22 immediate danger of death or serious physical injury to any person justifies disclosure of the information. 23 (6)The disclosure is in connection with the sale *or* transfer 24 25 of all or part of its business or the purchase or acquisition of a

portion *or* all of a business *or* the migration of a customer from one
 (1) carrier to another.
 (c) A disclosure pursuant to §46205(b), *if* such disclosure is made
 reasonably and in good faith, notwithstanding any later determination that

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such action was *not* in fact authorized."