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The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker
Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guahan
155 Hessler Street
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Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 162-30 (COR) "AN ACT TO ADD ANEW ARTICLE 2 TO CHAPTER 20 OF TITLE 8, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE CREATION OF AN ONLINE WARRANT REPOSITORY/REGISTRY", which I signed into law on May 17, 2010 as Public Law 30-136.

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MICHAEL W. CRUZ, M.D.
I Maga'lâhen Guahan para pa'go
Acting Governor of Guahan

Attachment: copy of Bill

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

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

This is to certify that Bill No. 162-30 (COR), "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 2 TO CHAPTER 20 OF TITLE 8, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE CREATION OF AN ONLINE WARRANT REPOSITORY/REGISTRY", was on the 3rd day of May, 2010, duly and regularly passed.



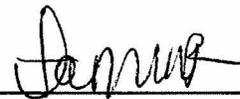
Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D.
Speaker

Attested:



Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by I Maga'lahaen Guåhan this 5th day of May, 2010, at
4:00 o'clock P.M.



Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'laha's Office

APPROVED:



I **MIKE W. CRUZ, MD**
GOVERNOR OF GUAM ACTING

Date: MAY 17 2010

Public Law No. P.L. 30-136

1 **§20.70. Online Warrant Repository/Registry.** The Unified
2 Judiciary of Guam (Judiciary) is authorized to create and maintain an *Online*
3 *Warrant Repository/Registry* that is accessible to the general public on the
4 internet. The purpose of the *Online Warrant Repository/Registry* is to
5 obtain assistance from the public in locating individuals with outstanding
6 arrest warrants and fugitives from justice.

7 **§20.75. Online Warrant Repository/Registry: Information**
8 **that is Posted On The Internet.** The *Online Warrant Repository/Registry*
9 *may* include information maintained in the Judiciary’s warrant repository
10 and any other information that may aid in the apprehension of individuals
11 with outstanding arrest warrants and fugitives from justice. The Judiciary
12 *shall* create rules on the content of fugitive information for the *Online*
13 *Warrant Repository/Registry*.

14 **§20.80. Redaction of Information on the Online Warrant**
15 **Repository/Registry.** At the request of the Attorney General of Guam, the
16 Guam Police Department, *or* federal and international investigative and law
17 enforcement agencies, the Judiciary *shall* omit the inclusion of a fugitive *if*
18 the investigatory/law enforcement agency determines that the inclusion of
19 such fugitive may harm the investigation.

20 **§20.85. Standards.** The Judiciary *shall* adopt standards for the
21 operation of the *Online Warrant Repository/Registry*. Such standards *may*
22 include, but *not* be limited to, the appearance of the site, contact information
23 and links to local, state (elsewhere in the United States), federal and
24 international investigatory/law enforcement agency links. Such standards
25 *shall* include (1) the official name of the *Online Warrant*

1 *Repository/Registry*; and (2) any policies that will allow for advertising,
2 underwriting, subscriptions or other financial support of the website.

3 **§20.90. Limitations of the Online Warrant Repository.** The
4 *Online Warrant Repository/Registry* created by this Chapter shall *not*
5 replace, take the place of, or be used in lieu of the official Warrant
6 Repository maintained and administered by the Superior Court of Guam.

7 **§20.95. Mistakes and Limited Liability.** The Judiciary is *not*
8 civilly or criminally liable for any erroneous information posted on the
9 *Online Warrant Repository/Registry*, provided that such information is
10 removed within five (5) days of the validation of the error.

11 **§20.100. Severability.** *If* any provision of this Article or its
12 application to any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary
13 to law, such invalidity shall *not* affect other provisions or applications of
14 this Article, which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or
15 application, and to this end the provisions of this Article are severable.”