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

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is Substitute Bill No. 406-30 (COR) "AN ACT TO REPEAL §64.50 OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 64, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; AND TO REPEAL AND REENACT CHAPTER 5 OF TITLE 11, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO RESTRICTING GREYHOUND RACING", which I signed into law on July 16, 2010 as Public Law 30-162.

Sinseru yan Magåhet,

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

Attachment: copy of Bill

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Office of the Speaker
Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D.

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

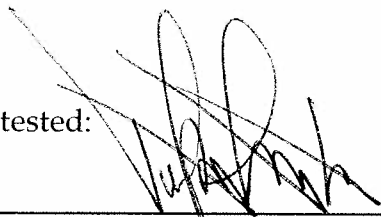
CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 406-30 (COR), "AN ACT TO REPEAL §64.50 OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 64, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; AND TO REPEAL AND REENACT CHAPTER 5 OF TITLE 11, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO RESTRICTING GREYHOUND RACING ", was on the 2nd day of July, 2010, duly and regularly passed.



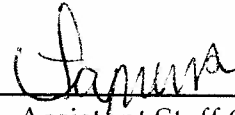
Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. D.
Speaker

Attested:



Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan* this 6th day of July 2010, at
5 o'clock P.M.



Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED:



MIKE W. CRUZ, MD
GOVERNOR OF GUAM ACTING

Date: _____

JUL 16 2010

Public Law No. P.L. 30-162

I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURÁN GUÁHAN
2010 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 406-30 (COR)

As substituted by the Committee on Economic
Development, Health & Human Services, and Judiciary,
and amended.

Introduced by:

T. C. Ada
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**AN ACT TO REPEAL §64.50 OF ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER
64, TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED; AND TO
REPEAL AND REENACT CHAPTER 5 OF TITLE 11,
GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO
RESTRICTING GREYHOUND RACING.**

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

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guáhan* finds that
3 the standard practices of the greyhound racing industry condone the inhumane and
4 cruel treatment of canines.

1 *I Liheslatura* further finds that the closure of an on-island canine racetrack in
2 2008 led to the mistreatment and abandonment of over two hundred (200)
3 greyhounds, which required a significant amount of resources by both community
4 members and advocacy groups, totaling nearly One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars
5 (\$150,000), to mitigate. While there are no current canine racing tracks on Guam,
6 existing law *does not* prohibit this inhumane industry from being reestablished in the
7 future.

8 *I Liheslatura* thus finds it necessary to remove language within the Guam Code
9 Annotated that permits pari-mutuel wagering on greyhound races, and, with such a
10 prohibition on greyhound racing, promote the values of Guam by ensuring humane
11 treatment of canines.

12 **Section 2.** §64.50 of Article 2, Chapter 64, Title 9, Guam Code Annotated, is
13 hereby *repealed*.

14 **Section 3.** Chapter 5 of Title 11 of the Guam Code Annotated is hereby
15 *repealed* and *reenacted* to read as follows:

16 **“CHAPTER 5**

17 **§5101. Dog Racing.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law,
18 rule or regulation, *no* dog racing or racing meeting where any form of betting or
19 wagering on the speed or ability of dogs occurs shall be conducted or permitted.

20 **§5102. Licensing and Permitting.** The Department of Revenue
21 and Taxation and all other government of Guam agencies are hereby prohibited
22 from accepting or approving any applications or requests for any canine racing-
23 related activities, including, but *not* limited to, racing dates, race meetings and
24 pari-mutuel pools.”