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

Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker
I Mina'trentai Dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan
155 Hesler Street
Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 76-32 (COR) "AN ACT TO AMEND §§161.15, 161.125 AND 161.30; AND TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (d) TO §161.95, ALL OF CHAPTER 161 OF TITLE 8, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE EFFICIENT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MANDATES OF THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION COMMISSION" which I signed into law on May 10, 2013 as Public Law 32-034.

Senseramente,

EDDIE BAZA CALVO

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I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

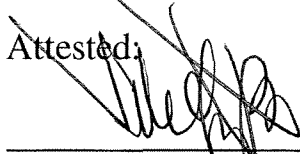
CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN

This is to certify that **Bill No. 76-32 (COR)**, "AN ACT TO AMEND §§161.15, 161.125 AND 161.130; AND TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (d) TO §161.95, ALL OF CHAPTER 161 OF TITLE 8, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE EFFICIENT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MANDATES OF THE CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION COMMISSION", was on the 30th day of April, 2013, duly and regularly passed.



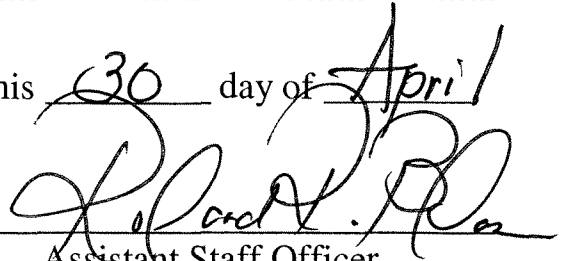
Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker

Attested:



Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahen Guåhan* this 30 day of April
2013, at 2:00 o'clock P.M.



Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED:



EDWARD J.B. CALVO
I Maga'lahen Guåhan

Date: MAY 1 0 2013

Public Law No. 32-034

I MINA 'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 76-32 (COR)

As amended by the Committee on Appropriations, Public Debt, Legal Affairs, Retirement, Public Parks, Recreation, Historic Preservation and Land; and further amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT TO AMEND §§161.15, 161.125 AND 161.130;
AND TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (d) TO §161.95,
ALL OF CHAPTER 161 OF TITLE 8, GUAM CODE
ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE EFFICIENT
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MANDATES OF THE
CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION
COMMISSION.**

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

2 **Section 1.** §161.15 of Chapter 161 of Title 8, Guam Code Annotated, is
3 hereby *amended* to read as follows:

1 **“§ 161.15. Creation of the Criminal Injuries Compensation**
2 **Commission.** There is, within the government of Guam, a Criminal Injuries
3 Compensation Commission (Commission) which *shall* be comprised of five
4 (5) members appointed by *I Maga’lahen Guåhan* with the advice and
5 consent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. Annually, the members *shall* elect a
6 chairperson of the Commission.

7 (a) In the absence of a quorum resulting from a vacancy, the
8 Attorney General, or his Chief Deputy, are hereby granted the same powers
9 and authority as the Commission under this Chapter to carry out the
10 purposes and requirements of this Chapter.”

11 **Section 2.** §161.125 of Chapter 161 of Title 8, Guam Code Annotated,
12 relative to Commission staff, is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

13 **“§ 161.125. Commission Staff.** Supervisory, administrative
14 and clerical personnel necessary for the efficient functioning of the
15 Commission may be appointed by the Attorney General. The Department of
16 Law or Office of the Attorney General *shall* provide administrative support
17 for the effective operation of the Commission.”

18 **Section 3.** §161.130 of Chapter 161 of Title 8, Guam Code Annotated,
19 relative to providing periodic reports on Commission activities, is hereby *amended*
20 to read as follows:

21 **“§ 161.130. Semi-Annual Report.** The Attorney General
22 *shall* transmit semi-annually to *I Maga’lahen Guåhan* and to *I Liheslaturan*
23 *Guåhan* a report of the Commission’s activities under this Chapter,
24 including the name of each applicant, a brief description of the facts in each
25 case, and the amount, if any, of compensation awarded. Such reports *shall*
26 be due *no later than* January 30 and June 30 of each year. The Attorney

1 General *shall* transmit the report, together with a tabulation of the total
2 amount of compensation awarded.”

3 **Section 4.** A new Subsection (d) is hereby *added* to §161.95 of Chapter
4 161 of Title 8, Guam Code Annotated, to read:

5 “(d) Initial payments of compensation awarded under this Chapter
6 *shall* be remitted to the applicant *no later than* 30 days of the approval of the
7 claim.”