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July 10, 2013

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

32-13-591 Office of the Speaker . Wen Put Ed D Received by

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 115-32 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTION II. AG. OF SECTION 2 OF CHPATER I, AND TO ADD A NEW SECTION 18 TO CHAPTER X, BOTH OF PUBLIC LAW 31-233 (GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2013), RELATIVE TO MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FROM THE TOURIST ATTRACTION FUND (TAF) TO THE GUAM VISITORS BUREAU (GVB) FOR THE INETNON GEF PÅ'GO CULTURAL ARTS PROGRAM, INC." which was enacted into law without the signature of I Maga'lahen Guåhan as **Public Law 32-059**.

Senseramente,

EDDIE BAZA CALVO I Maga'lahen Guåhan Governor of Guam

Enclosure

Eddie Baza Calvo

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 Substitute Bill No. 115-32 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTION II. AG. OF SECTION 2 OF CHAPTER I, AND TO ADD A NEW SECTION 18 TO CHAPTER X, BOTH OF PUBLIC LAW 31-233 (GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2013), RELATIVE TO MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FROM THE TOURIST ATTRACTION FUND (TAF) TO THE GUAM VISITORS BUREAU (GVB) FOR THE INETNON GEF PÅ'GO CULTURAL ARTS PROGRAM, INC.", was on the 24th day of June, 2013, duly and regularly passed.

Acting Spea Attested: Thomas C. Ada **Acting Legislative Secretary** This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this day of day of 2013, at 3. ₩ o'clock ? .M. *Maga'lahi's* Office APPROVED: EDWARD J.B. CALVO I Maga'lahen Guåhan Date: JUL 0 9 2013 Public Law No. 32-059

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

Bill No. 115-32 (COR)

As substituted by the Committee on Municipal Affairs, Tourism, Housing, and Hagatña Restoration and Redevelopment Authority and amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds that the Inetnon Gef På'go Cultural Arts Program, Inc. (Inetnon Gef På'go) is an award-winning program whose mission is to promote awareness and pride in Chamorro heritage through performance arts. This is accomplished through youth interaction with traditional Master Artists, community presentations and cultural exchange. Membership in the group begins in middle school, and continues on to the community-based, high school and adult after-school program, where members further their cultural learning, continue performing throughout the island, and represent Guam at major tourism promotions and festivals around the world.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that Inetnon Gef På'go Cultural Arts Program, Inc. has been given a unique opportunity to develop a visitor attraction venue that will provide cultural activities for our visitors, cultural arts training, jobs for our southern residents, and a cultural arts academy where visitors can enjoy contemporary Chamorro cultural entertainment and family-oriented classes and events.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that revenue estimates for the Tourist Attraction Fund (TAF) for Fiscal Year 2013 are tracking at Twenty-Six Million Five Hundred Seven Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-nine Dollars (\$26,507,329), of which Twenty-Three Million Eight Hundred Eighty-eight Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$23,888,200) is appropriated.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that the TAF revenues for Fiscal Year 2013 are projected to exceed appropriations by One Million Seven Hundred Eight Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-eight Dollars (\$1,708,488), in addition to the Fiscal Year 2012 ending cumulative fund balance of Four Million Sixty-five Thousand Fifteen Dollars (\$4,065,015), and is available for appropriation.

| 1 | It is, therefore, the intent of <i>I Liheslaturan Guåhan</i> to support the mission of |
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| 2 | Inetnon Gef På'go Cultural Arts Program, Inc. to promote awareness and pride in |
| 3 | Chamorro heritage through performance arts. |
| 4 | Section 2. Subsection II. AG. (Tourist Attraction Fund) of Section 2 |
| 5 | (Estimated Revenues for Fiscal Year 2013) of Chapter I (General Provisions) of |
| 6 | Public Law 31-233 is hereby amended to read: |
| 7 | "AG. Tourist Attraction Fund \$26,507,329" |
| 8 | Section 3. A new Section 18 is hereby added to Chapter X (Guam Visitors |
| 9 | Bureau) of Public Law 31-233 to read: |
| 10 | "Section 18. Appropriation to GVB for Inetnon Gefpå'go |
| 11 | Cultural Arts Program, Inc. The sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) |
| 12 | is hereby appropriated from the Tourist Attraction Fund (TAF) to the Guam |
| 13 | Visitors Bureau for Inetnon Gef På'go for the purposes of all costs directly |
| 14 | associated with the operations and administration of the Inetnon Gef Pa'go |
| 15 | Cultural Arts Program. Notwithstanding the general provisions of §30107.1 |
| 16 | of Chapter 30, Title 11 GCA, and this Act, this appropriation shall continue |
| 17 | to be available until expended. The provisions contained in Section 14 |
| 18 | (Service and Reporting Requirements) of Chapter X of Public Law 31-233 |
| 19 | shall be applicable." |