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JUN 12 2015

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

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 92-33 (LS) "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW 32-176, RELATIVE TO THE SURVEY AND TRANSFER OF GUAM DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PROPERTY TO THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS WITH RESPECT TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE GUAM VETERANS CEMETERY; AND TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$30,000) TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND MANAGEMENT TO PROCURE SURVEYING SERVICES" which I signed into law on June 10, 2015, as Public Law 33-46.

Senseramente,


EDDIE BAZA CALVO

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Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D

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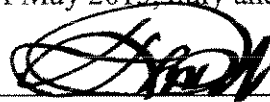
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I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2015 (FIRST) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that **Substitute Bill No. 92-33 (LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW 32-176, RELATIVE TO THE SURVEY AND TRANSFER OF GUAM DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PROPERTY TO THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS WITH RESPECT TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE GUAM VETERANS CEMETERY; AND TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$30,000) TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND MANAGEMENT TO PROCURE SURVEYING SERVICES,"** was on the 29th day of May 2015, duly and regularly passed.

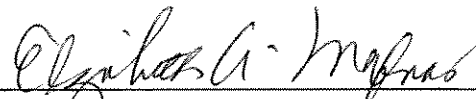


Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker

Attested:


Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan* this 1st day of June,
2015, at 5:20 o'clock P.M.


Assistant Staff Officer
Maga'lahaen's Office

APPROVED:


EDWARD J.B. CALVO
I Maga'lahaen Guåhan

Date: JUN 10 2015

Public Law No. 33-46

I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
2015 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 92-33 (LS)

As substituted by the Author;
and amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

T. C. Ada
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AN ACT TO *AMEND* SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW 32-176, RELATIVE TO THE SURVEY AND TRANSFER OF GUAM DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PROPERTY TO THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS WITH RESPECT TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE GUAM VETERANS CEMETERY; AND TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$30,000) TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND MANAGEMENT TO PROCURE SURVEYING SERVICES.

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

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guahan* finds
3 that there are some Veterans' graves outside of the property boundaries of the

1 Guam Veterans Cemetery. The graves are located in the northwest corner of *Lot*
2 *Apra Harbor Reservation B-R7* (Lot B-R7), otherwise known as the *Masso*
3 *Reservoir Conservation Area*. (see Exhibit A)

4 *I Liheslaturan Guahan* further finds that the Guam Veterans Cemetery is
5 located on *Lot Apra Harbor Reservation B-6* (Lot B-6). The Veterans' graves in
6 question are located outside the northeast corner of Lot B-6.

7 *I Liheslaturan Guahan* intends to transfer an area in the northwest section of
8 Lot B-R7 from the *Masso Reservoir Conservation Area*, and to consolidate the
9 transferred area into the northeast section of Lot B-6. Said transfer will then
10 ensure that the Veterans' graves in question are situated and included, with the
11 proper setback, within the new lot to be owned by the Office of Veterans Affairs,
12 government of Guam, as the Guam Veterans Cemetery property.

13 **Section 2.** Section 2 of Public Law 32-176 is *amended* to read as follows:

14 **“Section 2. Property Transfer.** (a) The portion of the real property
15 in the northwest corner of Lot Apra Harbor Reservation Area B-R7, owned
16 by the Guam Department of Agriculture, is hereby transferred to the Office
17 of Veterans Affairs, government of Guam.

18 (b) The Director of the Department of Land Management *shall*
19 cause the survey, consolidation and mapping of Lots B-R7 and B-6 for the
20 purpose of re-defining the northeast boundary of Lot B-6, so that existing
21 gravesites lying outside of Lot B-6 (Guam Veterans Cemetery) can be
22 included within the new Lot B-6. The revised maps *shall* be recorded at the
23 public documents Records Library in the Department of Land Management.

24 (c) The size and configuration of the property to be transferred
25 determining the Cemetery's new northeast boundary *shall* be at the
26 discretion of the Chief of Cadastre, Department of Land Management to

1 accomplish the needed transfer. All existing easements *shall* remain and be
2 respected.

3 (d) The transfer of said property *shall* become effective upon the
4 approval, acceptance and signature of the consolidation and severance map
5 by the Administrator of the Office of Veterans Affairs.

6 (e) The sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (**\$30,000**) is hereby
7 appropriated to the Department of Land Management from any excess
8 revenue collections in FY 2015 above the estimated revenues in Public Law
9 32-181 of the Land Survey Revolving Fund (LSRF); or from the FY 2016
10 projected revenues of the LSRF, pursuant to Title 21 GCA, Chapter 60,
11 §60602(b), for the purpose of contracting professional surveying services or
12 procuring needed survey equipment to accomplish the provisions and intent
13 of this Act.

14 (f) Pertinent government of Guam agencies and offices affected by
15 the provisions contained herein *shall* work collectively with the Office of
16 Veterans Affairs in the timely and appropriate implementation of the
17 provisions herein.”

18 **Section 3. Severability.** If any provision of this Act or its application to
19 any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such
20 invalidity *shall not* affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be
21 given effect without the invalid provisions application, and to this end the
22 provisions of this Act are severable.