

TENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE
1969 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This certifies that Bill No. 103, "An Act to authorize the Board of Trustees of the Guam Memorial Hospital to write off certain accounts", was on the 16th day of June, 1969, duly and regularly passed.



JOAQUIN C. ARRIOLA
Speaker

ATTESTED:

/s/ James T. Sablan

JAMES T. SABLAN
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 18th day
of June, 1969 at 9:30 o'clock A.M.

/s/ Rudolph G. Sablan

DENVER DICKERSON
Secretary of Guam
acting

APPROVED:

/s/ Manuel F.L. Guerrero

MANUEL F. L. GUERRERO
Governor of Guam

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Bill No. 103

Introduced by: R. F. Taitano

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL TO WRITE OFF
CERTAIN ACCOUNTS.

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

2 Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,
3 the Board of Trustees of Guam Memorial Hospital is hereby
4 authorized and empowered to write off all Guam Memorial Hospital
5 charges incurred by or the responsibility of private persons
6 on or before June 30, 1965, so long as such charges so being
7 written off were both incurred on or before said date and
8 unpaid as of the effective date of this Act. For the purposes
9 of this Act the term "private persons" means individuals and
10 family heads and not corporations, firms or companies respon-
11 sible for hospital charges such as contractors who, under
12 their employment contracts, are liable for the medical expenses
13 of their contract laborers. The Legislature declares that the
14 purpose of this Act is to relieve private persons and families
15 from the payment of old hospital charges but not to relieve
16 from such payment profit-making concerns which have failed to
17 pay their just obligations, the Legislature finding that in
18 most instances that costs of personnel collecting such ancient
19 accounts exceed the amounts thereof.

20 Section 2. This Act shall take effect upon signature
21 of the Governor.