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CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This certifies that Bill No. 213, "An Act creating a Commission on Legislative, Judicial, Executive, and other elective official salaries", was on the 8th day of July, 1969, duly and regularly passed.

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Speaker

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This Act was received by the Governor this $17\frac{H}{P}$ day of Quly , 1969 at 2/30 o'clock P.M.

/s/ DENVER DICKERSON

DENVER DICKERSON Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:

- /B/ Carlos G. Camacho

CARLOS G. CAMACHO Governor AUG 1 DATED: 1:15 P.M

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AN ACT CREATING A COMMISSION ON LEGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL, EXECUTIVE, AND OTHER ELECTIVE OFFICIAL SALARIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAM: Section 1. Statement of Findings. In view of the recent amendments to the Organic Act permitting the people of Guam to elect their own Governor and fix his salary and authorizing the Guam Legislature to meet throughout the year, and in view of the recent legislation considerably increasing the jurisdiction and responsibilities of the Island and Police Courts of Guam, and the increased responsibilities given the municipal commissioners, and Guam's Washington Representative, the Legislature feels that a dispassionate and disinterested review of the salaries to be given the elected Governor of Guam, the Guam Senators, the judges of the Island and Police Courts, the commissioners and assistant commissioners, and Guam's Washington Representative should be undertaken to make certain that such salaries are commensurate with the new responsibilities and burdens of such offices.

Section 2. Establishment of Commission. There is hereby established a Commission to be designated the "Joint Commission on Executive, Legislative, Judicial, and other Elective Official Salaries," to be composed of seven citizens of the United States and residents of Guam who are not employees, officers, or attaches of the government of Guam, or any of its branches, departments, or agencies. Three such members shall be chosen: by the Speaker, three by the Governor of Guam, and one by the Chairman of the Judicial Council. The members so chosen shall elect their own chairman.

Section 3. Duties of Commission. The Joint Commission shall undertake a study in depth of the appropriate salaries to be paid to the Governor of Guam and to the Lieutenant Governor of Guam upon their assuming office in 1971, to the members of the Legislature, to the judges of the Island and Police Courts of Guam, to the commissioners and assistant commissioners, and to Guam's Washington Representative. Such study shall take into consideration the responsibilities and burdens of such offices, the salaries paid equivalent offices in the United States at large, and such other matters as bear on the appropriate stipends to be paid these officials. The Department of Administration shall render said commission all necessary clerical and other logistic support. The Commission shall conclude its study and make its written report to the Legislature, the Governor of Guam and the Judicial Council, not later than January 15, 1970.

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