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CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 12, "An Act enabling the construction of 'Neighborhood Facilities' in various villages of Guam and authorizing an initial appropriation therefor", was on the 29th day of October, 1973, duly and regularly passed.

Speaker

ATTESTED:

Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this of. Veteler, 1973 at 4:50 o'clock

> L. ANDREWS Attorney General of Guam

APPROVED:

Governor of Guam

DATED:

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Bill No. 12

Introduced by

G. M. Bamba V. D. Ada

AN ACT ENABLING THE CONSTRUCTION OF "NEIGHBORHOOD FACILITIES" IN VARIOUS VILLAGES OF GUAM AND AUTHORIZING AN INITIAL APPROPRIATION THEREFUR.

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

Section 1. The Department of Land Management shall, in cooperation with the Department of Public Works, the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority, and the Commissioner of each village, designate a portion of government land suitable for the construction of "neighborhood facilities" for the villages of Inarajan, Umatac, Merizo, Barrigada, Maite, Dededo, Tamuning, Agana, Asan, Piti, Talofofo, Yona, Maina, Santa Rita, Chalan Pago-Ordot, Mongmong, Toto, Sinajana, Yigo, Tumon, Mangilao, Agat, Agana Heights, and Malojloj.

The Territorial Planning Commission shall establish standards utilizing existing laws to determine the location of such facilities. The Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority shall set up priorities for such facilities based on guidelines established by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Criteria for selecting such land shall include:

- (a) Accessability to the residents of the villages served by the facilities;
- (b) An appraised value which insures minimum cost by the government of Guam;
- (c) Topography advantageous to low cost construction; and
- (d) Availability of utilities.

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Section 2. The Governor is hereby authorized to commit, subject to the approval of the Legislature by resolution, such lands to the United States of America for the construction of such neighborhood facilities as may be authorized under Federal programs administered through the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority; provided, however, that should the government of Guam be obliged to appropriate any additional matching funds in order to receive Federal grants authorized under such programs, there must be legislative appropriation of such matching funds prior to the commitment of such lands.

Section 3. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated the sum of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) for the preparation of applications for Federal funding submitted pursuant to this Act.