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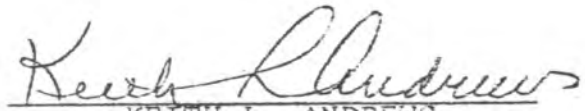
This is to certify that Bill No. 180, "An Act to add a Chapter XVII to Title IX of the Government Code of Guam to require all hotels and property owners using beach front property commercially for recreation purposes to post qualified lifeguards on said beaches", was on the 13th day of December, 1973, duly and regularly passed.


F. T. RAMIREZ
Speaker

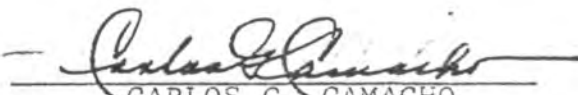
ATTESTED:


G. M. BAMBA
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 7th day
of January, 1974 at 3:15 o'clock 7 P.M.


KEITH L. ANDREWS
Attorney General of Guam

APPROVED:


CARLOS G. CAMACHO
Governor of Guam

DATED: JAN 16 1974
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Bill No. 180

Introduced by P. J. Bordallo

AN ACT TO ADD A CHAPTER XVII TO TITLE IX
OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE OF GUAM TO REQUIRE
ALL HOTELS AND PROPERTY OWNERS USING BEACH
FRONT PROPERTY COMMERCIALY FOR RECREATION
PURPOSES TO POST QUALIFIED LIFEGUARDS ON
SAID BEACHES.

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

2 Section 1. A Chapter XVII is hereby added to Title IX of
3 the Government Code of Guam to read as follows:

4 "CHAPTER XVII

5 Lifeguards on Beach Front Property

6 Section 8996. Findings. This Legislature finds
7 that several deaths by drowning have recently occurred
8 on beach sites in front of tourist hotels and commercial
9 recreational property, and that qualified lifeguards on
10 said property could have saved some of the lives lost.
11 This Legislature therefore finds that necessary steps
12 should be taken to reduce the hazards of death by drowning.

13 Section 8997. Lifeguards required on beach front
14 property. All hotels and all other persons using beach
15 front property commercially for recreational purposes,
16 shall employ on such beach front property between the
17 hours of 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. daily a full-time life-
18 guard, certified by the American Red Cross to be qualified
19 for such employment.

20 Section 8998. Rules and regulations. The Director
21 may make such rules and regulations as are necessary to
22 implement the provisions of this Chapter.

23 Section 8999. Penalty. Any person or officer of a
24 firm or company violating the provisions of this Chapter

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is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon a conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment of not more than six (6) months or by a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), or both."