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## TWELFTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1974 (SECOND) Regular Session

## CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 582, "An Act to amend Section 651.2 of the Civil Code of Guam for the purpose of including politically oriented organizations among those non-profit organizations who must annually publish financial information", was on the 20th day of June, 1974, duly and regularly passed.

RAMIRI Speaker 6

ATTESTED:

M. BAMBA G. Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 200 day of 400, 1974 at 3:00 o'clock p.M.

/s/ KEITH L: ANDREWS XEITH L. ANDREWS Attorney General of Guam

APPROVED:

CARLOS САМАСНО G. Governor of Guam DATED:

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## TWELFTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1973 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 582 Substitute Bill by Committee on Judiciary

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AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 651.2 OF THE CIVIL CODE OF GUAM FOR THE PURPOSE OF INCLUDING POLITICALLY ORIENTED ORGANIZATIONS AMONG THOSE NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS WHO MUST ANNUALLY PUBLISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAM: Section 1. Section 651.2 of the Civil Code of Guam is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 651.2. Filing of Annual Reports. Except for an organization that is entirely religious in character, or a fraternal organization operating under the the lodge system that does not solicit, directly or indirectly, from the general public donations and contributions, and does not participate in local fund-raising activities such as raffles and bingo games, every nonprofit organization, including but not limited to a fraternal benefit society, order or association operating under the lodge system, a corporation, association, or society organized and operated for eleemosynary, scientific or educational purposes, business league, Chamber of Commerce, civil league, a political party, any organization of more than two individuals whose purpose is to provide funds or other assistance of value to a political candidate, any organization with the avowed purpose of advocating the improvement of the government of Guam or the political process, and an organization operating for the benefit of the community and for the promotion of social welfare, shall cause to be published annually within forty-five (45) days of the close of its fiscal year in a newspaper of general circulation in the

Territory of Guam a financial report which report shall include a statement of its income and expenditures for the preceding year and a balance sheet showing its assets and liabilities. For the limited purpose of this section the fiscal year of a political party, an organization of more than two individuals, whose purpose is to provide funds or other assistance of value to a political candidate and any organization with the avowed purpose of advocating the improvement of the government of Guam or the political process shall end on September 15. Such newspaper report need be no larger than four inches by five inches. Such financial statement shall contain a certificate as to its accuracy by an officer of the organization which financial statement shall be filed with the Director of Revenue and Taxation."

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