TWELFTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1974 (SECOND) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 633, "An Act to repeal and reenact Sections 39100 and 39100.1 of the Government Code of Guam relative to parole, and for other purposes", was on the 8th day of January, 1975, duly and regularly passed.

T. RAMIRE? Speaker

ATTESTED:

G. BAMBA Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this $\frac{10.11}{10.000}$ day of $\frac{10.0000}{10.0000}$, 1975 at $\frac{11.36}{10.0000}$ o'clock Λ . M.

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AN ACT TO REPEAL AND REENACT SECTIONS 39100 AND 39100.1 OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE OF GUAM RELATIVE TO PAROLE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAM: Section 1. Sections 39100 and 39100.1 of the Government Code of Guam are hereby repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

"Section 39100. Authority to grant parole. The Board is hereby authorized to release on parole any person confined in any penal or correctional institution of this territory, except under sentence of death, when the confined person is eligible for parole.

Section 39100.1. Eligibility for parole.

(a) Persons confined for misdemeanors. A person who is confined after conviction of a misdemeanor, previous convictions notwithstanding, shall be eligible for parole after being confined for one-fourth (1/4) the minimum period of time require to be served according to his sentence.

(b) Persons confined for felonies (first offense). A person confined after conviction of one or more felonies at the same trial, or one or more felonies arising out of the same general circumstances, who has had no other conviction adjudged after July 21, 1951 which would constitute a felony under the current laws of Guam, shall be eligible for parole after being confined for one-half (1/2) the minimum period of time required to served according to his sentence.

(c) Persons confined for felonies (subsequent

offense). A person confined after conviction of one or more felonies at the same trial, or one or more felonies arising out of the same general circumstances, who has had another conviction adjudged after July 21, 1951 which would constitute a felony under the current laws of Guam, shall be eligible for parole after being confined for twothirds (2/3) the minimum period of time required to be served according to his sentence.

(d) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections (a), (b) and (c):

(1) A person sentenced pursuant to Section 642(a) of the Penal Code shall be eligible for parole only after being confined for five (5) years;

(2) Any person, including a person sentenced to life imprisonment, shall be eligible for parole after being confined for ten (10) years;

(3) A person whose parole is revoked shall be eligible for parole only after being confined for one (1) year subsequent to his return to confinement; and

(4) No person shall be eligible for parole who has been confined pursuant to Section 1231(a) of the Penal Code.

(e) The periods of confinement required by Subsections (a), (b), (c), and (d) for parole eligibility shall be reduced by any allowance for good conduct under Section 39115.

(f) This section shall not be construed to

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encroach upon any conflicting provisions of the Juvenile Court Act, Title V of the Code of Civil Procedure, or the Youth Correction Act, Title XVI of the Penal Code."

Section 2. Subsection (b) of Section 1231 of the Penal Code of Guam is hereby repealed.

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