THIREMENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1975 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 158, " An Act to amend section I of Public Law 11-100 to authorize the Director of Public Works to acquire on behalf of the Government of Guam either fee title to or perpetual easement of required width over those portions of village streets to which legal title is still vested in private owners", was on the 10th day of June, 1975, duly and regularly passed.

Joseph F. Ada Joseph F. Ada Speaker

ATTESTED:

CONCERCION CRUZ BARRETT Legislative Secretary								
This Act	was r	eceived	by the Go	vernor this	12 tr	day of		
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APPROVED:

/e/ RUDOLPH G. SABLAR								
ACTING GO	vernor of Guam							
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Introduced by C. T. C. Gutierrez

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1 OF PUBLIC LAW 11-100 TO AUTHORIZE THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS TO ACQUIRE ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM EITHER FEE TITLE TO OR PERPETUAL EASEMENT OF REQUIRED WIDTH OVER THOSE PORTIONS OF VILLAGE STREETS TO WHICH LEGAL TITLE IS STILL VESTED IN PRIVATE OWNERS.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of Public Law 11-100 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. Authorization for land taking. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, the Director of Public Works is hereby authorized to acquire on behalf of the government of Guam either fee title to, or perpetual easement of required width over those portions of the primary and secondary roads, and village streets of the territorial highway system to which legal title is still vested in private owners. In making such acquisitions, the director shall pay no more than the fair market value therefor and in the event a landowner refuses the offer of payment tendered by the director, the matter shall be referred to the Attorney General for appropriate action under the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to eminent domain. The Legislature hereby declares the acquisition of such rights of way to be in the public interest."