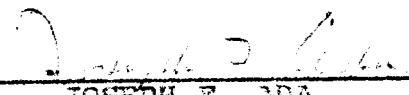


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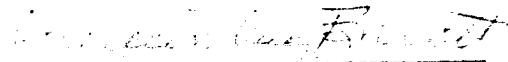
CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 15, "An Act to repeal and reenact Section 11876, to add Section 11876.1, and to amend Sections 11877 and 11878 of the Government Code to permit high school students to be enrolled in the Teacher Training Program of the University of Guam", was on the 25th day of September, 1975, duly and regularly passed.



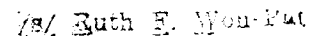
JOSEPH F. ADA
Speaker

ATTESTED:




CONCEPCION CRUZ BARRETT
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 25th day of
October, 1975 at 11:36 o'clock 4 .M.



RUTH F. NON PAT
Assistant Staff Officer
Governor's Office

APPROVED:



RICARDO J. BORDALLO
Governor of Guam

DATED: SEP 10 1975

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Bill No. 15
As Substituted by the
Committee on Education

Introduced by A. C. Ysrael

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND REENACT SECTION 11876,
TO ADD SECTION 11876.1, AND TO AMEND SECTIONS
11877 AND 11878 OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE TO
PERMIT HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO BE ENROLLED IN
THE TEACHER TRAINING PROGRAM OF THE UNIVERSITY
OF GUAM.

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

2 Section 1. Section 11876 of the Government Code is hereby
3 repealed and reenacted to read:

4 "Section 11876. Program. (a) There is hereby
5 established in the University of Guam a program for the
6 selection and enrollment of persons who desire to be
7 educated as teachers.

8 (b) A monthly allowance shall be paid to a person who
9 is enrolled pursuant to the following schedule:

10 (1) To a person who has no dependents and who
11 is enrolled on a full-time basis: From enrollment
12 until the person shall be classified academically as a
13 sophomore, One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per month;
14 during the period a person is classified academically
15 as a sophomore, One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00)
16 per month; during the period a person is classified
17 academically as a junior or senior, Two Hundred Dollars
18 (\$200.00) per month; during the period a person is
19 classified academically as a graduate student properly
20 enrolled in a program leading to masters degree in
21 education, Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) per month.
22 A person carrying more than fifteen (15) credit hours
23 per semester at any level of academic classification
24 shall be given a bonus of an additional Twenty Dollars

1 (\$20.00) for each credit hour in excess of fifteen
2 (15).

3 (2) To a person who has one or more dependents
4 and who is enrolled on a full-time basis. From enroll-
5 ment until a person shall be classified academically
6 as a sophomore, One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00)
7 per month; during the period a person is classified
8 academically as a sophomore, Two Hundred Dollars
9 (\$200.00) per month; during the period a person is
10 classified academically as a junior or senior, Three
11 Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) per month; during the period
12 a person is classified as a graduate student properly
13 enrolled in a program leading to a masters degree in
14 education, Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) per month.
15 A person carrying more than fifteen (15) credit hours
16 per semester at any level of academic classification
17 shall be given a bonus of an additional Twenty Dollars
18 (\$20.00) for each credit hour in excess of fifteen
19 (15).

20 (3) A person who is enrolled on less than a full-
21 time basis shall be paid on a pro rata basis according
22 to the number of hours that person is carrying in his
23 academic schedule.

24 (c) Registration, tuition and other fees normally
25 assessed shall not be charged, and a stipend in an amount of
26 Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) shall be allowed per regular
27 semester and Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per summer session in
28 which a person is enrolled to cover the cost of textbooks
29 and supplies.

30 (d) No person shall be paid any allowance except
31 during the period in which the person shall be properly

1 enrolled and actively pursuing the academic schedule that
2 may be prescribed for this program by the University.
3 During any period when a person is so enrolled and an
4 academic period or term commences or ends during the part
5 of any month, the allowance for which the person shall be
6 eligible for the month shall be paid pro rata on the basis
7 of a thirty (30) day month."

8 Section 2. Section 11876.1 is added to the Government Code
9 to read:

10 "Section 11876.1. Special teacher training scholarship
11 for qualified high school seniors. (a) A special program
12 is established at the University of Guam for qualified high
13 school seniors who desire to be educated as teachers.

14 (b) Applicants for enrollment in the program shall be
15 high school seniors in any public or private high school
16 who are recommended by the principal of said school, in
17 accordance with regulations adopted by the Board which shall
18 establish criteria for the selection, including scholastic
19 ability, aptitude for, and interest in a teaching career.

20 (c) Selection for admission to the program shall be
21 made by the Board on the basis of the recommendation of a
22 school principal, results of aptitude tests and such other
23 criteria as the Board may establish.

24 (d) The program shall be open to any high school
25 student who is a resident of Guam. The number of trainees
26 who may enroll annually shall be limited only by the capacity
27 of the University of Guam and the funds made available to it
28 by annual appropriation for this program.

29 (e) Notwithstanding Section 11876(3), a monthly
30 allowance shall be paid to each high school senior enrolled
31 in this program and shall be an amount equivalent to one-
32 half the amount of the monthly allowance paid University

1 freshmen trainees in this program. Registration, tuition
2 and other fees normally assessed shall not be charged and
3 a stipend in the amount of Thirty-Five Dollars (\$35.00)
4 shall be allowed per regular semester and Twenty-Five Dollars
5 (\$25.00) per summer session in which said student is en-
6 rolled to cover the cost of textbooks and supplies."

7 Section 3. Section 11877 of the Government Code is amended
8 to read:

9 "Section 11877. Selection of trainees. (a) Applicants
10 for enrollment in the program shall be persons who are re-
11 commended to the Board of Regents by the principal of any
12 public or private high school in Guam, or, in the case of
13 a person already enrolled in the University upon the re-
14 commendation of the University counseling staff, in accor-
15 dance with regulations adopted by the Board, which shall
16 establish criteria for the selection, including scholastic
17 ability, aptitude for and interest in a teaching career.

18 (b) Selection for admission to the program shall be
19 made by the Board on the basis of the recommendation by a
20 school principal or University counseling staff, results of
21 aptitude tests, and such other criteria as the Board may
22 establish.

23 (c) The program shall be open to any person who is
24 a resident of Guam. The number of trainees who may enroll
25 annually shall be limited only by the capacity of the
26 University of Guam and by funds made available to it by
27 annual appropriation for this program."

28 Section 4. Section 11878 of the Government Code is amended
29 to read:

30 "Section 11878. Standards. In order to remain in
31 good standing, a trainee shall maintain a grade point

1 average of 2.00 for each semester of the first year, and
2 2.50 for each subsequent semester for which he is enrolled.
3 A trainee who fails to maintain such average shall be placed
4 on probation for the succeeding semester, and shall be re-
5 moved from the program if he is unable to achieve the re-
6 quired standard during the ensuing semester."