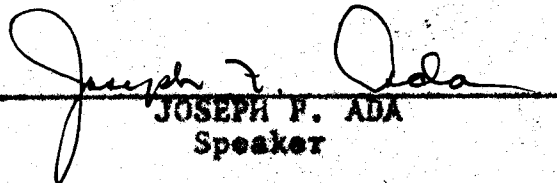



FOURTEENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
1977 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR


This is to certify that the Presiding Officer of the Legislature declared that emergency conditions exist, involving danger to the public health or safety, that the requirement of a public hearing was waived in accordance with Section 1102.1 of the Government Code and that Bill No. 419, "An Act making an appropriation to upgrade the Talofofo Bay Bridge as a temporary measure and authorizing an appropriation for construction of a permanent bridge and for other purposes", was on the 30th day of July, 1977, duly and regularly passed.

  
JOSEPH F. ADA  
Speaker

ATTESTED:

  
ERNESTO M. ESPALDON  
Legislative Secretary

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This Act was received by the Governor this 1st day of August, 1977, at 3:15 o'clock P.M.

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

APPROVED:

/s/ RICARDO J. BORDALLO  
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RICARDO J. BORDALLO  
Governor of Guam

DATED: August 2, 1977  
6:10 P.M.  
Public Law No. 14-57

FOURTEENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
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Bill No. 419

Introduced by

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AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO UPGRADE  
THE TALOFOFO BAY BRIDGE AS A TEMPORARY  
MEASURE AND AUTHORIZING AN APPROPRIATION  
FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A PERMANENT BRIDGE AND  
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

2 Section 1. There is hereby appropriated from any available  
3 balance in the Territorial Highway Fund the sum of Eighty Thousand  
4 Dollars (\$80,000) for upgrading of the Talofofu Bay Bridge as a  
5 temporary measure pending construction and completion of a new  
6 Talofofu Bay Bridge. The above appropriation shall include  
7 Seventy Two Thousand Dollars (\$72,000) in Federal grants from the  
8 Federal Highway Act. The local Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000)  
9 matching portion made available under this Act shall not be  
10 expended until receipt of the Federal grant is assured. Any  
11 unexpended balance of local funds remaining of this appropriation

1 on December 31, 1977 shall revert to the Territorial Highway Fund.

2 Section 2. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated  
3 the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) from any available  
4 source for construction of the new Talofofo Bay Bridge.

5 Section 3. The Legislature declares that the objects of  
6 appropriation in Section 1 of this Act are brought about by an  
7 extreme public emergency. In order to accomplish the objects  
8 of Section 1 hereof, and for such purpose only, the Director of  
9 Public Works shall have the authority to waive Section 10001.6 of  
10 the Government Code of Guam in the awarding of a contract or  
11 contracts to accomplish the objectives of Section 1 of this Act,  
12 provided that in awarding such contracts the Director shall contract  
13 only with responsible companies and on such terms as are most  
14 favorable to the government given the emergency nature of the  
15 contracts involved.

16 Section 4. Sections 2 and 3 of Public Law 14-5 are amended  
17 as follows:

18 "Section 2. There is appropriated from any available  
19 balances in the General Fund to Guam Housing and Urban Renewal  
20 Authority the sum of \$1.0 Million. The sum appropriated by  
21 this Section shall be used by the Guam Housing and Urban  
22 Renewal Authority to pay its contractor for homes constructed  
23 at the GHURA 500 project, and said sum shall be treated as a  
24 loan from the General Fund to GHURA repayable from proceeds  
25 received from the sales of housing units."

26 "Section 3. The Board of Commissioners of Guam Housing  
27 and Urban Renewal Authority is directed to create a special  
28 fund for the Authority and to deposit it to the proceeds of  
29 sales it makes at the GHURA 500 projects. The fund so created  
30 shall be reserved by the authority to reimburse the General  
31 Fund of the government for the \$1.0 Million appropriated by  
32 Section 2 of this Act not later than December 31, 1977."