


FIFTEENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE
1980 (SECOND) Regular Session

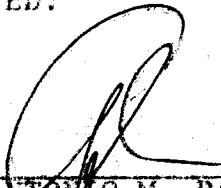
CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 390, "An Act to amend Sections 59019 and 8982 and to add a new Chapter XIV-C to Title IX of the Government Code to provide veteran's bonuses to Wake Island Guamanian Workers", was on the 14th day of March 1980 duly and regularly passed.



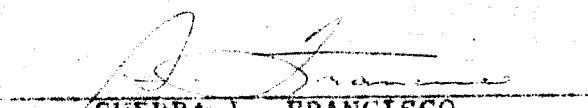
JAMES H. UNDERWOOD
Acting Speaker

ATTESTED:



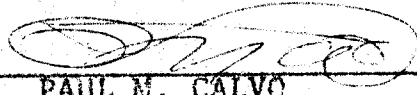
ANTONIO M. PALOMO
Acting Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 24th day of March, 1980, at 9:30 o'clock A.M.



SHERRA L. FRANCISCO
Assistant Staff Officer
Governor's Staff

APPROVED:



PAUL M. CALVO
Governor of Guam

DATED: 4/2/80 10:45 a.m.
P.L. 15-119

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Bill No. 890
(As Amended by the
Committee on General
Governmental Operations,
Military and Veterans
Affairs)

Introduced by

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AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS 59019 AND
8982 AND TO ADD A NEW CHAPTER XIV-C
TO TITLE IX OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE
TO PROVIDE VETERANS' BONUSES TO WAKE
ISLAND GUAMANIAN WORKERS.

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

2 Section 1. Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 59019 of
3 the Government Code (enacted by Public Law 14-126) is amended
4 to read:

5 "(a) All tax revenue paid to Guam pursuant to Section
6 59019 of the Government Code, shall be deposited in the
7 Veterans Bonus Fund hereby established and is appropriated
8 from the expenditures hereafter authorized. Expenditures
9 shall be made from the fund for the purpose of paying to
10 eligible veterans, Guam Combat Patrol members, and no more
11 than forty eight (48) Wake Island Guamanian Workers and
12 Civilian Scouts the bonuses authorized by Chapters XIV-A
13 XIV-B, XIV-C and XV, Title IX of the Government Code, as

1 it may, from time to time, be amended or for repayment of
2 any indebtedness incurred pursuant to Subsection (b) of
3 this Section.

4 (b) The Governor of Guam is authorized to incur
5 indebtedness, with the consent of the Legislature by
6 resolution, as to the terms of the loan, for the purpose
7 of paying to eligible persons the bonuses authorized by
8 Chapters XIV-A, XIV-B, XIV-C and XV, Title IX of the
9 Government Code. The Governor may assign, pledge or grant
10 a security interest in the tax revenue payable to the
11 government of Guam pursuant to Section 59010 of the
12 Government Code. Repayment of the loan shall be guaranteed
13 by the government of Guam out of its revenues."

14 Section 2. Application for bonuses. All applications for
15 bonuses authorized by Chapter XIV-C of Title IX must be made to
16 the Office of Veteran's Affairs on or before May 30, 1980.
17 Each applicant shall furnish to the Office of Veteran's Affairs
18 evidence of his eligibility for a veteran's bonus. Eligibility
19 may be evidenced by authenticated copies of records or
20 certificates issued by the Department of Defense, U. S. Military
21 Service Department, or any other authorized agency having such
22 evidence in its possession.

23 Section 3. A new Chapter XIV-C is added to Title IX of the
24 Government Code to read:

25 "CHAPTER XIV-C

26 Bonus for Wake Island Guamanian Workers

27 Section 8989. Creation of bonus. In honor of the
28 Wake Island Workers who have received inadequate
29 recognition from the United States Government, and little
30 prior recognition from the government of Guam, there are

1 hereby authorized to be paid to each of the Wake Island
2 Workers, or his survivor or survivors, bonuses in the
3 amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00).

4 Section 3989.1. Eligibility for a bonus. The
5 Governor shall prepare a list of all bona fide Wake Island
6 Workers, which list shall govern eligibility for bonuses
7 authorized by this Chapter. Each eligible worker, or
8 his survivor or survivors, shall apply for such bonuses to
9 the Governor, who upon satisfactory proof that such
10 applicants were Wake Island Workers or are such a bona
11 fide worker's survivor or survivors, shall certify to the
12 Treasurer of Guam the eligibility of such applicants for
13 such bonuses, and the Treasurer shall thereupon pay such
14 bonuses to such applicants."

15 Section 4. There is appropriated from the General Fund
16 to the Veterans Bonus Fund the sum of One Hundred Twenty
17 Thousand Dollars (\$120,000) to satisfy the intent of this Act.

DATE 4-14-80

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VOTING RECORD

§ BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 890

MAIN SPONSOR CCB
NOT VOTING

SENATOR	AYE	NAY	NOT VOTING	ABSENT
AGUON, Katherine B.				
BAMBA, Cecilia C.	✓			
BLAS, Frank F.	✓			
CHARFAUROS, Edward T.	✓			
CRISOSTOMO, Thomas C.	✓			
DUENAS, Edward R.	✓			
ESPALDON, Ernesto M.	✓			
KASPERBAUER, Carmen A.	✓			
LAMORENA, Alberto C., III	✓			
PALOMO, Antonio M.	✓			
PALOMO, Benigno M.	✓			
PEREZ, Peter, Jr.	✓			
QUAN, John F.	✓			
QUITUGUA, Franklin J.	✓			
SAN AGUSTIN, Joe T.	✓			
SANTOS, Francisco R.	✓			
SUDO, Ramon Q.	✓			
TAITANO, Richard F.	✓			
TANAKA, Thomas V. C.	✓			
UNDERWOOD, James H.	✓			
UNPINGCO, Antonio R.	✓			
TOTAL	20	0	0	0