# FIFTEENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1980 (SECOND) Regular Session

### CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 271, "An Act to amend Subsections (d) and (e) of Section 53552 of Chapter I, Title LIV of the Government Code of Guam relative to extending technical, credit assistance or guarantee of loans to small-sized businesses, cooperative or nonprofit association", was on the 5th day of April 1980, duly and regularly passed.

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Bill No. 271 (As Substituted by the Committee on Labor, Resources and Economic Development)

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AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTIONS (d) AND (e) OF SECTION 53552 OF CHAPTER I, TITLE LIV OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE OF GUAM RELATIVE TO EXTENDING TECHNICAL, CREDIT ASSISTANCE OR GUARANTEE OF LOANS TO SMALL-SIZED BUSINESSES, COOPERATIVE OR NON-PROFIT ASSOCIATION.

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

Section 1. Subsection (d) of Section 53552 of Chapter I, Title LIV, of the Government Code of Guam is hereby amended to read:

"Subsection (d). The Corporation is authorized to promote the investments of entrepreneurial capital in Guam, if need be form and operate its own industries, invest in and provide technical assistance in support of its objectives, develop and maintain facilities for lease or sale and provide for the expansion of agricultural, small-sized businesses, industrial and tourist facilities through financial assistance and other means."

Section 2. Subsection (e) of Section 53552, Chapter I, Title LIV, of the Government Code of Guam is hereby amended to read:

"(e) The Corporation is authorized to make loans or guarantees of loans to any persons, firm, partnership, corporation, cooperative or non-profit association and small sized businesses licensed or registered to do business

in Guam in furtherance of the purposes and activities stated in this Act. All loans so made shall be of such sound value or so secured as to reasonably assure repayment, or shall be of such vital need to the economy of Guam as to warrant additional risks or subsidies. Each loan made by the Corporation may be sold to a commercial lending institution for a sum not less than the principal balance of said loan and the proceeds thereof returned to the capital fund of the Corporation. Each loan made by the Corporation shall include, wherever possible, an option on the part of the Corporation to convert up to fifty percent (50%) of the total loan so made into equity of one form or another."

Section 3. Section 2 of Public Law 15-39 is amended to

read:

"Section 2. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, all forms of gambling or contrivances which generally fall under the category of games of chance and which are located at the designated municipal fair grounds are exempted from any prohibitions of Chapter 64 of the Criminal and Correctional Code, provided, that licenses shall be issued only to non-profit organizations duly registered with the government of Guam and provided, that no types of casino gambling or heaving gambling be permitted. 'Heavy gambling' means gambling in amounts in excess of those limits approved by the Governor."

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