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The Honorable Thomas V.C. Tanaka Speaker Sixteenth Guam Legislature Post Office Box 373 Agana, Guam 96910

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 19 of the Organic Act (48 U.S.C. 1421a), Bill No. 559 is hereby transmitted. This is now Public Law 16-46.

Sincerely,

JOSEPH F. ADA

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Enclosure

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SIXTEENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1981 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 559, "An Act to repeal and reenact Section 18 of Public Law 16-44 to require that wages of government employees be lowered on July 1, 1982 only if funds are insufficient for continuing operations of the government and to avoid lay-offs until said date," was on the 5th day of November 1981, duly and regularly passed.

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| | THOMAS V. C. TANAI Speaker | |
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| THOMAS C. CRISOSTOMO Legislative Secretary | | |
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AN ACT TO REPEAL AND REENACT SECTION 18 OF PUBLIC LAW 16-44 TO REQUIRE THAT WAGES OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES BE LOWERED ON JULY 1, 1982 ONLY IF FUNDS ARE INSUFFICIENT FOR CON-TIMUING OPERATIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT AND TO AVOID LAY-OFFS UNTIL SAID DATE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE TERRITORY OF GUAN: Section 1. Section 18 of Public Law 16-44 is repealed and reenacted to read:

"Section 18. (a) On, and not before, July 1, 1982, the salaries of all full-time personnel, classified, unclassified, permanent and temperary employees (including elected officials and judges) within the government shall be reduced by twelve and one-half percent (12.5%) per person for each week during the fourth quarter of the fiscal year if the conditions stated in subsection (b) of this Section exist within the government on June 1, 1982. If possible, hours of part-time employees shall be reduced twelve and one- half (12.5%). During this period of reduced salaries, no law, rule or regulation may require that said officers and employees work more than thirty-five (35) hours per week at the reduced salary. If an employee works more than 35 hours per week but not over forty (40) hours per week, he or she shall be compensated at his or her regular hourly rate. All time worked over forty (40) hours shall be compensated at the appropriate overtime rate.

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- of this Section shall take place if revenue receipts and projection in future revenues, made by the Bureau of Budget and Management Research, and concurred in by the Ways and Means Committee of the Sixteenth Guam Legislature for the remainder of fiscal year 1982, made on June 1, 1982, show that the revenue on hand and expected will be insufficient to operate the government at the level necessary for payment of officers and employees without the reduction.
- (c) No general reduction in salary or wages shall be ordered by the Governor until July 1, 1982 unless a law shall have first been enacted authorizing such action. No lay-offs may be made in lieu of such overall salary reduction until July 1, 1982 and then only if the conditions of subsection (b) exist on June 1, 1982."

Section 2. Subsection (1) of Section 3 of Public Law 16-44 is smended to read:

"(1) The sums in this section are appropriated from
the General Fund and the indicated cash funds for the payment
of the ordinary operating costs of the agencies of the
Executive and Judicial Branches of the government of Guam
for and during the year beginning October 1, 1981, except as
otherwise noted. Except for appropriations for personnel
services made to the Department of Education, Guam Community

College and the University of Guam; no more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the appropriations for personnel services may be expended or encumbered in the first quarter (ending December 31, 1981); no more than fifty percent (50%) of the appropriations for personnel services may be expended or encumbered at the end of the second quarter (ending March 30, 1982); no more than seventy-five percent (75%) of the appropriations made for personnel services may be expended or encumbered at the end of the third quarter (ending June 30, 1982); and at the end of the fiscal year one hundred percent (190%) of the appropriations for personnel services may be expended."

Section 3. A new Subsection (2) is added to Section 3 of Public Law 16-44 to read:

"(2) The Director of the Bureau of Budget and Management Research shall transmit to the Legislature no later than the seventh (7th) day of each month schedules showing actual cash receipts, actual cash disbursements and encumbrances during the previous month. If the schedules required by this Section are not submitted, then the Director of Bureau of Budget and Management Research shall be deemed to be in contempt of the Legislature and appropriate proceedings shall be commenced."