FIRST GUAM LEGISLATURE 1951 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill Number 28, "An Act to repeal Chapter IA, Part I, Title I, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the Superior Court of Guam, and for other purposes" was on the 29th day of March, 1951, duly and regularly passed.

A. B. Won Fat Speaker

ATTESTED:

A. S. N. Duenas Legislative Secretary

This act was received by the Governor this 6th day of April, 1951, at 8:50 o'clock A. M.

R. S. Herman Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:

CARLTON SKINNER GOVERNOR OF GUAM

Dated:

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Introduced by Jeaguin C. Perez Joaquin C. Perez

An Act to repeal Chapter IA, Part I, Title I, of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to the Superior Court of Guam, and for other purposes.

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

Sec. 1. Chapter IA, of Part I, Title I, of the Code of Civil Procedure of Guam is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Sec. 2. The original jurisdiction of the Island Court of Guam to try, hear, and determine civil actions and proceedings wherein the Government of Guam is a party plaintiff, party defendant, or party in interest, which was revoked by implication on the effective date of Executive Order No. 24-47, dated 3 October, 1947, is hereby reinstated to the same extent and purposes as if Executive Order Number 24-47 had never been promulgated.

Sec. 3. All records, books, papers, causes, actions and proceedings lodged, deposited or pending in the Superior Court of Guam wherein the Government of Guam is a party plaintiff, party defendant or party in interest, are transferred to the Island Court which has jurisdiction over them as if they had been in the first instance lodged, deposited, filed, or commenced therein.

Sec. 4. All records, books, papers, causes, actions, and proceedings lodged, deposited or pending in the Superior Court of Guam wherein the United States of America is a party plaintiff, party defendant, or party in interest, are transferred to the District Court of Guam which has, by virtue of the passage of Public Law 630 of the United States Congress, jurisdiction over them as if they had been in the first instance lodged, deposited, filed or commenced therein.

Sec. 5. This act is an urgency measure and shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor.