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# JAN 30 1991

The Honorable Joe T. San Agustin Speaker, Twentieth Guam Legislature 155 Hesler Street Agana, Guam 96910

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 1474, which I have signed in to law this date as Public Law No. 20-233.

Sincerely, JOSEPH F. ADA Governor

Attachment



# TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1990 (SECOND) Regular Session

# CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 1474 (COR), "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE KITCHEN AT M. U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; FOR A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL; FOR A STAGE WITH RESTROOM FACILITIES, A DINING FACILITY AND PARKING AREA FOR P. C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; FOR A DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL; FOR DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITIES AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; AND FOR THE COMMISSION ON GUAM'S POLITICAL HISTORY," was on the 19th day of December, 1990, duly and regularly passed.

Speaker

Attested:

PILAR C. LÜJA Senator and Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this <u>3154</u> day of <u>December</u> 1990, at <u> $\parallel$ '.05</u> o'clock <u>A</u>.m.

Assistant Staff Officer Governor's Office

APPRQVED:

JOSEPH F. ADA Governor of Guam JAN 30 1991

Date:

Public Law No. 20-233

# TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1990 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 1474 (COR) As substituted by the Committee on Education and as further substituted by the Committee on Rules.

Introduced by:

- F. J. A. Quitugua
- C. T. C. Gutierrez
- J. P. Aguon
- T. S. Nelson
- E. P. Arriola
- J. G. Bamba
- M. Z. Bordallo
- D. F. Brooks
- H. D. Dierking
- E. R. Duenas
- E. M. Espaldon
- P. C. Lujan
- G. Mailloux
- M. D. A. Manibusan
- D. Parkinson
- E. D. Reyes
- M. C. Ruth
- J. T. San Agustin
- F. R. Santos
- T. V. C. Tanaka
- A. R. Unpingco

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE KITCHEN AT M. U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; FOR A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL; FOR A STAGE WITH RESTROOM FACILITIES, A DINING FACILITY AND PARKING AREA FOR P. C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; FOR A DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL; FOR DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITIES AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; AND FOR THE COMMISSION ON GUAM'S POLITICAL HISTORY.

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

2 Section 1. Legislative findings. The Legislature is aware of the urgent 3 need in certain Guam public schools for either repairing, expanding or 4 installing various essential facilities. The Legislature believes that these 5 needs should be addressed immediately for the health and welfare of Guam's 6 children. The Legislature finds that:

7 (a) M. U. Lujan Elementary School needs an expansion of the cafeteria 8 facility to provide a needed full-service kitchen for approximately 1,000 9 students;

10 (b) Dededo Middle School needs a dining facility because the children 11 are currently eating in the gymnasium, which is unhealthy and prevents the 12 children's use of such facility for regular physical education and for 13 recreational activities;

14 (c) P. C. Lujan Elementary School needs an expanded dining facility
 15 and a new stage to accommodate its increased enrollment, with the school
 16 presently experiencing serious overcrowding;

17 (d) Agueda Johnston Middle School needs a dining facility because the
18 children are presently eating in the gymnasium (like Dededo Middle School)
19 which is unhealthy and likewise prevents the children from using the facility
20 for the normal physical education program and for recreational activities;

(e) Finegayan Elementary School needs a complete kitchen facility to
 serve the needs of this large school which is located in the heavily populated
 municipality of Dededo, which continues to expand.

Section 2. Appropriations for M. U. Lujan Elementary School, Yona. Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) are appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Education (the "Department") to construct a kitchen facility at M. U. Lujan Elementary School.

Section 3. Appropriation for Dededo Middle School, Dededo. One
 Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) are appropriated from the General Fund to the
 Department to design and construct a dining facility at Dededo Middle School.
 Section 4. Appropriation for P. C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.

32 Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$600,000) are appropriated from the General

Fund to the Department to design, construct and expand a covered stage with restroom facilities, to expand its dining facilities, and to expand the parking area, all at P. C. Lujan Elementary School.

4 Section 5. Appropriation for Agueda Johnston Middle School, Ordot. 5 One Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,100,000) are appropriated 6 from the General Fund to the Department to design and construct a dining 7 facility at Agueda Johnston Middle School.

8 Section 6. Appropriation for Finegayan Elementary School, Dededo. 9 One Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$180,000) are appropriated from the 10 General Fund to the Department to design and construct a complete kitchen 11 facility at Finegayan Elementary School.

12 Section 7. (a) Legislative finding. The Legislature finds that the 13 work of the coordinating commission for the development of courses of study on Guam's political history (the "Commission") has progressed adequately in 14 the development of such courses of study but the Commission is in serious 15 need of additional funding to pursue the development to its completion as 16 17 intended by the Legislature in its enactment of Public Law 20-99. Still being 18 convinced of the importance of such courses of study in the political history of 19 Guam, the Legislature further finds that such additional funding must be 20 provided to the Commission.

(b) Appropriation. Accordingly, Three Hundred Ninety Thousand
Dollars (\$390,000) are appropriated from the General Fund to the University
of Guam to fund the work of the Commission in developing courses of study
on Guam's political history, as provided in Public Law 20-99.

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# TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1990 (SECOND) Regular Session

# ROLL CALL SHEET

Bill No. <u>1474</u>

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# SENATOR FRANKLIN J. ARCEO QUITUGUA

CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE

Member of the Committees on Ways & Means; Rules; Energy, Utilities & Consumer Protection and Tourism & Transportation

December 17, 1990

The Honorable Joe T. San Agustin Speaker, Twentfeth Guam Legislature 155 Hesler St. Agana, Guam. 96910

Dear Speaker San Agustin:

The Committee on Education to which was referred Bill No. 1474, "an Act to appropriate funds for the design, construction, and expansion of kitchen area at M.U. Lujan Elementary School in Yona; for design and construction of a dining facility at Dededo Middle School in Dededo; for design and construction of a stage with restroom facilities expansion of dining facility and expansion of parking area at P.C. Lujan Elementary School in Barrigada; for design and construction of dining facility at Agueda Johnston Middle School in Ordot; and for design and expansion of dining and kitchen facility at Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo", has had the same under consideration and now wishes to report its findings and recommendations.

The Committee on Education voting record of the bill is as follows:

To Do Pass	8
Not to Pass	0
To Report Out Only	0
To Place in Inactive File	0

A copy of the report and all pertinent documents are enclosed for your information.

Sincerely, FRANKI UGUA FJAQ:tpm Enclosures

#### VOTE SHEET COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

#### BILL NO. 1474

AN ACT TO APROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE DESIGN.CONSTRUCTION.AND EXPANSION OF KITCHEN AREA AT M.U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN YONA: FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL IN DEDEDO; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A STAGE WITH RESTROOM FACILITIES EXPANSION OF DINING FACILITY AND EXPANSION OF PARKING AREA AT P.C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, IN BARRIGADA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL IN ORDOT; AND FOR DESIGN AND EXPANSION OF DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITY AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DEDEDO.

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#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION ON BILL NO. 1474

<u>Bill No. 1474</u> - An act to appropriate funds for the design, construction, and expansion of kitchen area at M.U. Lujan Elementary School in Yona; for design and construction of a dining facility at Dededo Middle School in Dededo; for design and construction of a stage, expansion of dining facility and expansion of parking area at P.C. Lujan Elementary School, in Barrigada; for design and construction of dining facility at Agueda Johnston Middle School in Ordot; and for design and expansion of dining and kitchen facility at Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo.

> Introduced by: F.J.A. Quitugua C.T.C. Gutierrez

#### PREFACE

The Committee on Education conducted a public hearing on Bill No. 1474. The public hearing was held at 9:10 a.m. on Thursday, November 29, 1990 in the Pacific Arcade Legislative Public Hearing Room. Committee members present were as follows:

> Senator Franklin J.A. Quitugua, Chairman Senator Edward R. Duenas, Member Senator Marilyn Manibusan, Member Senator Elizabeth Arriola, Member, 20th Guam Legislature

#### BACKGROUND

Testimonies heard on Bill No. 1474 were as follows:

l. Lawrence Kasperbauer, PH.D., Chairman, Territorial Board of Education

Dr. Kasperbauer orally summarized the written testimony of the director of Education agreeing with the needs of the schools. (See Exhibit A)

2. <u>Ms. Isabel Montague, Associate Superintendent of Secondary Education</u>, Department of Education

Ms. Montague orally supported Dr. Kasperbauer's statements.

3. Ms. Mary A. Gutierrez, President, Dededo Middle School, PTA

Ms. Gutierrez read her written testimony urging passage of Bill 1474. (See Exhibit B)

4. Jose Rivera, Mayor, Municipality of Dededo

Mayor Rivera gave an oral testimony in favor of Bill 1474.

#### 5. Frank Portusach, Mayor, Municipality of Agana Heights

Mayor Portusach read his written testimony citing health hazard and urging passage of Bill 1474. (See Exhibit C)

#### 6. Vicente San Nicolas, Mayor, Municipality of Chalan Pago/Ordot

Mayor San Nicolas gave an oral testimony asking that section 5 be made a priority and urge passage of Bill 1474.

#### 7. Terry Borja, Vice Mayor, Municipality of Tamuning/Tumon

Vice Mayor Borja gave an oral testimony favoring passage of Bill 1474.

#### 8. Ms. Jovyna M.L. Sarmiento, Parent, P.C. Lujan Elementary School

Ms. Sarmiento read her written testimony in favor and pointed out the difference in the Title and Section 4 of the bill. (See Exhibit D) Senator Quitugua noted the typographical error and said it will be corrected. She will like to see better communications from Department of Education.

#### 9. Mr. Richard Rogadio, President, P.C. Lujan Elementary School

Mr. Rogadio gave an oral testimony in favor of Bill 1474.

### 10. Ms. Doreen Damian, Parent, P.C. Lujan Elementary School

Ms. Damian gave an oral testimony in favor of Bill 1474.

# 11. Mr. John Benavente, Parent, P.C. Lujan Elementary School

Mr. Benavente submitted a written report in favor of Bill 1474. (See Exhibit E)

#### Discussions following the above testimonies were as follows:

Senator Duenas asked, does DOE have anyone making assessment of needs of all the schools? Ms. Montague replied yes, but she hesitated to give updated assessment needs of the schools. Senator Duenas quiered Dr. Kasperbauer on the role of the Territorial School Board? Dr. Kasperbauer replied that an assessment was made some years back but must be updated.

Senator Arriola supports Bill 1474. She also asked Ms. Montague to give an update of the additional classroom construction. Ms. Montague stated that Oceanview High School, F.B. Leon Guerrero and Yigo Elementary have been completed and several have been started at Maria Ulloa and G.W.

Senator Manibusan came out in support of Bill 1474. She said that she noted problem of flooding at Carbullido Elementary while she was visiting the school and would like to see that solved.

Senator Manibusan pointed out the lacked of an updated report on the electrical system at the schools.

Ms. Montague answered, Public Works Department have made a preliminary assessment report and advised DOE not to install any more electrical units unless adequate electrical improvements are made.

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Senator Quitugua thanked those who testified and assured them that their input would be considered.

# ANALYSIS

Bill 1474 was introduced to solve some of the problems that exist in the public school system facilities such as kitchen area at M.U. Lujan, Yona, dining areas at Dededo and Agueda Middle Schools, dining and parking at P.C. Lujan, and dining and kitchen at Finegayan Elementary, Dededo.

#### COMMITTEE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee finds that there is a definite need for the construction of facilities listed in the schools covered and recommends passage of Bill 1474.

#### EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT "A"	-	Ms. Anita A. Sukola, Director of Department of Education, read by Lawrence Kasperbauer, PH.D. Chairman, Territorial Board of Education
EXHIBIT "B"	-	Ms. Mary A. Gutierrez, President, Dededo Middle School, PTA
EXHIBIT "C"	-	Frank Portusach, Mayor, Municipality of Agana Heights
EXHIBIT "D"	-	Ms. Jovyna Sarmiento, Parent, P.C. Lujan Ele- mentary School
EXHIBIT "E"	-	Mr. John Benavente, Parent, P.C. Lujan Elementary School

# TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1990 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 1474 As Substituted by the Committee on Education

Introduced by:

F.J.A. Quitugua C.T.C. Gutierrez

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

2 Section 1. Legislative Findings.

The Legislature is aware of the urgent need in the following Guam Public schools for certain inadequate or non-existing facilities. The Legislature believes that these needs should be addressed immediately for the health and welfare of our children.

7 (a) M.U. Lujan Elementary School in Yona needs an expansion of the
 8 cafeteria facility to provide needed full service kitchen for approximately 1,000
 9 students.

(b) Dededo Middle School in Dededo needs a dining facility because the
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 the children's use of the gym for the regular Physical Education and recreational
 activities.

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9 (e) Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo needs a complete kitchen 10 facility to serve the needs of this large elementary school. The school is located 11 in the highly populous municipality of Dededo, which continues to expand.

12 Section 2. <u>Appropriations for M.U. Lujan Elementary School, Yona.</u> Fifty 13 Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to 14 the Department of Education for the construction of the kitchen facility at 15 M.U. Lujan Elementary School in Yona.

16 Section 3. <u>Appropriation for Dededo Middle School, Dededo</u> One Million 17 Dollars (\$1,000,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the 18 Department of Education for the design and construction of dining facility at 19 Dededo Middle School, in Dededo.

Section 4. <u>Appropriation for P.C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.</u> Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$600,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Education for the design, construction and expansion of a covered stage with restroom facilities, expansion of dining facility and expansion of parking area at P.C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.

25 Section 5. <u>Appropriation for Agueda Johnston Middle School, Ordot.</u> One 26 Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,100,000) is hereby appropriated from 27 the General Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction 28 of dining facility at Agueda Johnston Middle School, in Ordot. Section 6. <u>Appropriation for Finegayan Elementary School, Dededo.</u> One
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 of a complete kitchen facility at Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo.

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TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1990 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. <u>1474</u>

Introduced by:

E.T.A. Quitugua G.T.C. Gutierrez

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND EXPANSION OF KITCHEN AREA AT M.U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN YONA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL IN DEDEDO; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A STAGE, EXPANSION OF DINING FACILITY AND EXPANSION OF PARKING AREA AT P.C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. IN BARRIGADA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL IN ORDOT; AND FOR DESIGN AND EXPANSION OF DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITY AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DEDEDO.

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(e) Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo needs a complete kitchen facility to serve the needs of this large elementary school. The school is located in the highly populous municipality of Dededo and the facility is urgently needed.

9 Section 2. <u>Appropriations for M.U. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.</u>
 10 Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund
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17 Section 4. <u>Appropriation for P.C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.</u> 18 Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$600,000) is hereby appropriated from the General 19 Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction and 20 expansion of a covered stage with men's/women's restrooms; expansion of parking 21 area at P.C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.

22 Section 5. <u>Appropriation for Agueda Johnston Middle School, Ordot.</u> One 23 Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,100,000) is hereby appropriated from 24 the General Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction 25 of dining facility at Agueda Johnston Middle School, in Ordot.

26 Section 6. <u>Appropriation for Finegayan Elementary School, Dededo.</u> One 27 Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$180,000) is hereby appropriated from the 28 General Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction 29 of a complete kitchen facility at Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo



OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GOVERNMENT OF GUAM P.O. BOX DE AGANA, GUAM 96910 TEL.: 472-8901/2/3/4 November 29, 1990



**Deputy Director** 

Senator Franklin J. Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature 163 Chalan Santo Papa Agana, Guam 96910

> Testimony on **Bill No. 1474** - AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND EXPANSION OF KITCHEN AREA AT M.U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN YONA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL IN DEDEDO; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A STAGE, EXPANSION OF DINING FACILITY AND EXPANSION OF PARKING AREA AT P.C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, IN BARRIGADA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL IN ORDOT; AND FOR DESIGN AND EXPANSION OF DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITY AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DEDEDO.

Dear Senator Quitugua:

Finegayan and M.U. Lujan Elementary Schools need to have their own complete kitchen facilities. These two schools rank close to the top in student population. Both are without adequate kitchen facilities. Breakfasts and lunches for both schools are prepared at and transported daily from the feeder schools.

Due to the lack of adequate kitchen facilities:

Food is frequently cold by the time students eat. Due to the number of students that are served daily, most food is cold by the time they get to the serving line. Food can not be warmed up.

In instances where certain food (e.g. ham, pork) is not quite cooked, facilities are lacking to correct the situation.

At times, students are served with substitute food items due to insufficient quantities provided from the feeder cafeteria. For example, students may be served fried eggs and rice for breakfast. When the food runs out, students still waiting to eat may be served salami and bread or a peanut-butter and jelly sandwich. In fairness to students, everyone should be served with the same food items.



ANITA A. SUKOLA Director of Education

#### Page 2 of 3 Testimony of Bill No. 1474

Adequate kitchen facilities which includes dishwashing equipment would help to ensure that proper cleaning and sanitizing procedures are adhered to. At the present time, trays, silverware, and other equipment are washed manually.

There have been incidents where some trays were found to be greasy in spite of having been washed. When the supply of hot water runs out, trays and silverware are washed in cold water.

Due to insufficient dining room space students are scheduled to eat lunch at different times. Because students leave classes and return at different times, disruption of instruction occur from time to time as students pass through the hallways.

Since the cafeteria doubles as an indoor assembly area, it is difficult to have more than two grade levels in the cafeteria at any one time.

Inadequate cafeteria space restricts the school in some school community activities such as inviting all parents to have lunch with their children on special occasions such as National Lunch Week, Thanksgiving, Christmas, etc.

Adequate kitchen facilities and the expansion of the dining area would greatly increase service to the students, faculty and staff.

Presently the school gymnasium at Agueda. Johnston and Dededo Middle Schools have a dual role, one as a physical education/athletic facility, the other as a student lunch room. The drawbacks of such a situation are obvious. From a hygienic standpoint, it is unacceptable to have students eating right next to lockerrooms, or in an area that might foster a higher health risk than normal.

Another health problem is the abnormally large fly population. Because the gym is an open area, it is almost impossible to rid it of flies. Doors are large and there is no electrical wiring available for the installation of air curtains. A cafeteria with adequately designed doors and windows, and properly installed air curtains would eliminate this critical health problem.

The master schedule and student activity schedules are also affected by the lack of a cafeteria. No physical education classes can be schedule during the two student lunch periods. This places an added burden on room utilization, and creates an unequal distribution of departmental and teacher preparation periods. The use of the gymnasium during lunch also severely Page 3 of 3 Testimony on Bill No. 1474

limits the student intramural program, and during inclement weather, events must be cancelled.

Another disadvantage is the destruction of the new thirty thousand dollar flooring that was recently installed in the gymnasium. The constant movement of the heavy cafeteria tables across the rubberized surface is beginning to rip and tear the material. In another year or two, the flooring that was designed to last for years, will be ruined. Also, because it was not designed to be used in a cafeteria it is almost impossible to clean the food stains off the floor. In gym classes after lunch, students are constantly complaining of sitting or slipping in spilled milk or other food stuffs.

The school also lacks an adequate space for student assemblies or large meetings, such as the monthly Parent-Teacher Association meetings. The cafeteria could also serve as a meeting place forother community groups and organizations. If properly designed, it could also be used as a multi-purpose facility, with operable walls dividing the building into individual student classrooms.

The lack of a cafeteria at Agueda Johnston and Dededo Middle Schools has an adverse effect on the overall climate of these schools. Anything that can be done to change this situation would be greatly appreciated by the staff and students of the schools and the Department of Education.

Si Yu'os Ma'ase,

ANITA A. SUKOLA

November 29, 1990

The Honorable Franklin J. A. Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature 155 Henan Cortez Agana, Guam 96910

RE: Bill 1474 (COR): "An Act to Appropriate Funds for the Design and Construction of a Dining Facility at Dededo Middle School in Dededo."

Dear Mr. Chairman & Members of the Committee:

Thank you for giving me this opportunity to testify on Bill 1474.

My name is Mary A. Gutierrez, President of the newly reorganized Dededo Middle School Parent-Teacher Association (PTA). This Association once again has been recently reactivated, since it was dissolved back in 1988.

I appear this morning before this Committee on behalf of the Dededo Middle School PTA in support of Bill 1474. We appreciate the committee's concern in addressing one of the existing problems the lack of dining facility at Dededo Middle School. Yes, the students are presently utilizing the gymnasium as the dining room. This room is uncomfortable and indeed unhealthy for our students to eat their meals.

The school is not faced only with the lack of dining facility, other problems do exist that needs the immediate attention, the building facility of the school. With the continously on-going housing developments within the municipality of Dededo is one of the factor that is causing the overcrowding at Dededo Middle School. The current enrollment of one thousand four hundred thirty This PTA has identified this problem and will work students. closely with our school administrators, our village Mayor and Vice Mayor to respectfully request the Department of Education officials, the Legislature and the Governor for an expansion of the existing building for additional classrooms or build another middle school in Dededo. I invite the members of this Committee to visit the school during school hours and see for yourself the overcrowding problems that exist.

I appealed to you the island leaders, especially those who were fortunate to continue in the legislature to please make the educational system for our students of Guam your top priority, they will be our future leaders of our island of Guam. With all the modern and sophisticated technology in the educational system being administered and offered in the school, there is indeed the need to improve and upgrade the school building facilities. Page 2 Testimony on Bill 1474

The PTA of Dededo Middle School are ready, willing and will play an important role in providing assistance and support to our students and the school administrators, and with the full support from the Department of Education, the Legislature, and the Governor.

Bill 1474 asked for an appropriation of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for the design and construction of the dining facility. My two questions to this bill, "is this to include the contains in the dining room such as tables, chairs, and others, will the room be air conditioned."

In conclusion, on behalf of the Dededo Middle School Parent-Teacher Association, we strongly urged this Legislature to pass Bill 1474.

Thank You and Si Yu'os Ma 'ase.

Mary G. Gutierrey Mary A. Gutierrez

Mary A. Gutierrez President Dededo Middle School PTA



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FRANK M. PORTUSACH MAYOR OF AGANA HEIGHTS

November 29, 1990

The Honorable Franklin J. Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Senator, 20th Guam Legislature

Re: Testimony on Bill No. 1474

Honorable Chairman and members of this committee:

My name is Frank Martinez Portusach. As the Mayor of Agana Heights, I am concerned about our students of Guam and the needs of our school. I am pleased to see that you are addressing the desperately needed facilities of our schools through Bill No. 1474. As you know, we have always said that education is our top priority.

In particular, I would like to point out some of the conditions at Agueda Johnston Middle School. Since the school has no dining facility, the school gymnasium has been utilized as the student's lunch room.

With the school being close to the Ordot Dump site, there is a large fly population. Because the gym is an open area, it is impossible to rid the gym of the flies, and this poses a serious health problem for the students.

I would like to recommend that the proposed dining facility be designed properly so that it can be used as a multi-purpose facility that could be utilized for large gatherings, such as for student body assemblies and for large groups meetings, such as the Parent Teacher Association. The new facility could also be used for classroom purposes when the cafeteria is not being used.

Senator, I strongly feel as you do that the educational needs of our children should receive the highest priority in funding considerations. In closing, I would like to commend you, Senator Quitugua, and your committee, for your concern of our students. Si yu'os ma'ase for all you have done for the sake of education on Guam.

Sincerely,

FRANK M. PORTUSACH

P. O. Box 3525 gana, Guam 96910 :ls: (671) 472-8286 472-6124 ix: (671) 477-8777 November 29, 1990

Senator Franklin J. Quitugua Chairman Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature Box CB-1 Agana, Guam 96910

Re: Bill Number 1474

Dear Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee on Education:

The facility improvements proposed for our 30-year old P. C. Lujan Elementary School are timely and welcomed by parents, students, faculty and staff of the school. While obvious problems with present facilities are described in greater detail for you by school officials lending support for Bill Number 1474, I offer the following suggestions insofar as improvement of these facilities may go, should Bill 1474 be passed:

- 1. That new dining facilities, if they are to continue to function in duocapacities for both dining and general assembley purposes, be modified to provide for cross ventilation, as opposed to the present, enclosed scenario; and
- 2. That existing exterior walls be removed, providing for an open dining area (with the kitchen located on the one end, secured by a solid, roll-up door) and an open stage area (with a portable, folding stage located on the opposite end, also secured by a solid, roll-up door).

# P. C. Lujan Needs More

P. C. Lujan is a school whose students, faculty, parents and staff share an open, honest and cooperative relationship that gets things done. Because of this relationship, our students do quite well academically. The thing is, we have a 30 year facility in need of improvements that go beyond those proposed in Bill 1474.

In exceptionally warm months, we have situations where student concentration during after lunch classes becomes problemmatic for our teachers. As parents, our PTO has offered donating air conditioning to deal with the issue, but our facility problems are not as simple. Electrical wiring installed 30 years ago are incapable of handling the increased loads of air conditioning. Consequently we have teachers who donate personal fans to help deal with the ventillation problems in our classrooms.

Apart from this, we sometimes have electrical extension cords running across or around our classrooms to provide the required power to operate slide projectors, record and cassette players and other learning aides necessary for basic education. We have had PTO meetings with electricity shortages stemming from the ceiling wiring in our school cafeteria.

Our kids need facilities and equipment to support a stronger physical education program. For years, our PTO has pitched in, working in cooperation with our village Mayor, our Sister NAS Command and other sources to keep our playground safe and our school lawn mowed. We've raised alot of money to help over the years, but it could take the next decade for any PTO to raise what the school really needs. In the meantime, our kids still need a playground that can be reliably maintained; campus grounds that can be reliably mowed; a better basketball court; and more classrooms.

Bill 1474 is a small, but important start. We appreciate the on-site visits this Committee has made to our school and the trends you have set toward devoting greater attention and resources to the academic and facilities improvement needs at P. C. Lujan. Thank you for your support of Bill 1474.

Sincerely yours,

Jovyna M. L. Sarmiento Parent, P. C. Lujan Elementary Box 22343 GMF Guam, MI 96921 Senator Franklin J.A. Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature Agana, Guam 96910 November 29, 1990

SUBJECT: Legislative Bill No. 1474

An Act to Appropriate Funds for the Design; Construction of Stage; Expansion of Dinning Facility and Parking Lot Area at P.C. Lujan Elementary School in Radio Barrigada.

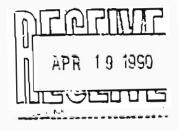
Dear Mr. Chairman and Fellow Committee Members:

Thank you for allowing me to express my positive short-written view on Bill No. 1474, being considered by this joint Committee today.

First of all, My name is JOHN L.G. BENAVENTE, a resident of Sinajana. As you know our Island is going extremely fast and so as the population. As a concern parent of four, I look forward for the safety and well-being of my kids as well as the safety and well-being of the entire students of P.C. Lujan Elementary School. Aside from home, school is the second place where the children spend their hours of learning.

I support the intent and purpose of this Bill 1474 and I ask the Committee to report out favorably.

Si Yu'os Ma'ase Todos! JOHN L.G. BENAVENTE





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# APR 03 1990

Honorable Franklin J. Arceo Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature 163 Chalan Santo Papa Agana, Guam 96910

Dear Senator Quitugua:

As per your request, we hereby submit the following engineer's cost estimates prepared by our engineering staff based on their field investigation. The cost estimate is based on Fiscal Year 1990 costs, and a 25% escalation must be added each year thereafter.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely yours, PALOMO BENIGNO M. Director

Enclosures

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#### ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

PROJECT: M.U. Lujan Element Expansion of Kite	ary School then Area	PROJECT NO:	
LOCATION: Yona, Guam		LENGTH:	
ESTIMATED BY: M. Balansay		APPROVED BY:	
DATE: March 30, 1990		DATE:	Sheet 1 of 1
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	UNIT QUANTITY UNIT PRI	

#### Scope of Work

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 Proposed extension of kitchen area approximately 20'-0" x 14'-0" to pass DPM building permit requirements, including architectural, civil, structural, electrical and plumbing works, complete and ready for use.

2	2.	Engineer's Cost Estimate		
		Cost of Improvement		\$22,400.00
		Electrical	••••••	\$2,240.00
		Civil including Demolition	•••••	\$11,500.00
		Ptumbing		\$1,232.00
		Total	Cost of Improvement	\$37,372.00
			15% Contingency	\$5,605.80
NOTE:		ost estimate is based on Fiscal Year 1990 and 25%	Total	\$42,977.80
ſ	escal	ation cost shall be added each year after 1990.	10% Const. Admin. Design	\$4,297.78
			TOTAL CONST. COST	\$47,275.58
			SAY:	\$50,000.00

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#### ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

PROJECT: Dededo Middle Sch Dining Facility	col Proposed	PROJECT NO:		
LOCATION: Dededo, Guam		LENGTH:		
ESTIMATED BY: M. Balansay		APPROVED BY:		
DATE: March 30, 1990		DATE:		Sheet ! of 1
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	UNIT QUANT	ITY UNIT PRICE	TOTAL AMOUNT
	Scope of Work			
1. Provide design	drawings to construct a concrete dining	)		

1	<ol> <li>Provide design drawings to construct a concrete dining facility, approximately 100'-0" x 80'-0" to pass DPW building permit requirements, including architectural, civil, structural, electrical and mechanical works, complete and ready for use.</li> </ol>	
2	2. Engineer's Cost Estimate	
	Cost of Improvement	<b>\$728,000</b> .00
	Electrical	<b>\$31,060.</b> 00
	Civil	\$24,000.00
	Total Cost of Impr	ovement \$783,060.00
	15%	Contingency \$117,459.00
NOTE:	The cost estimate is based on Fiscal Year 1990 and 25% Tot	ai \$900,519.00
	escalation cost shall be added each year after 1990. 10% Const. A	dmin. Design \$90,051.90
	TOTAL CONST.	<b>COST</b> \$990,570.90
	SAY	s1,000,000.00

#### ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

PROJECT: P.C. Lujan Element Proposed Concrete	tary School e Stage	PROJECT NO:	
LOCATION: Barrigada, Guam		LENGTH:	
ESTIMATED BY: M. Balansay		APPROVED BY:	
DATE: March 30, 1990		DATE:	Sheet 1 of 1
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	UNIT QUANTITY UNIT PRICE	

#### Scope of Work

 Provide design drawings to construct a stage approximately 60'-0" x 20'-0" to pass DPW building permit requirements, including architectural, civil, structural, electrical work, complete and ready for use.

#### 2. Engineer's Cost Estimate

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	a)	Proposed new covered stage with mens/womens restrooms, dressing room, storage, electrical works and plumbing works		\$185,400.00
	b)	Proposed expansion of dining area approximately 60'-0" x 40'-0", 2400 s.f	•••••	\$220,800.00
	c)	Expansion of parking area	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$53,680.00
		Total	Cost of Improvement	\$459,880.00
			15% Contingency	\$68,982.00
NOTE:		estimate is based on Fiscal Year 1990 and 25%	Total	\$528,862.00
	escalatio	n cost shail be added each year after 1990.	10% Const. Admin. Design	\$52,886.20
			TOTAL CONST. COST	\$581,748.20
			SAY:	\$600,000.00

#### ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

PROJECT: Agueda Johnston Hi J and Dining Facility	ddle School Proposed	PROJECT NO:	
LOCATION: Ordot, Guam		LENGTH:	
ESTIMATED BY: M. Balansay		Approved by:	
DATE: March 30, 1990		DATE: Sheet	
TEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK		AMOUNT

#### Scope of Work

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1	Provide design drawings to construct a c facility, approximately 100'-0" x 80'-0" building permit requirements, including civil, structural, electrical and machan complete and ready for use.	to pass DPW architectural,	· .	
2	Engineer's Cost Estimate			
	Cost of Improvement	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	••••••••••••••••••••••	\$728,000.00
	Electrical	•••••	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	<b>\$31,060.</b> 00
	A/C Unit			<b>\$75,000.</b> 00
	Civil		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$24,000.00
		Total	Cost of Improvement	\$858,060.00
			15% Contingency	\$128,709.00
NOTE:	The cost estimate is based on Fiscal Year 1990		Total	\$986,769.00
	escalation cost shall be added each year after 1990.	· 1990.	10% Const. Admin. Design	<b>\$98,</b> 676.90
			TOTAL CONST. COST	\$1,085,445.90
			SAY:	\$1,100,000.00

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#### ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

PROJECT: Finegayan Elementary School Expansion of Dining and Mitchen Area		PROJECT NO:	PROJECT NO:			
LOCATION:	Dededo, Guain	LENGTH:				
ESTIMATED BY: M. Balansny		APPROVED BY	:			
DATE: March 30, 1990		DATE:			Sheet 1 of 1	
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	UNIT	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL ANOLNT	
1.	Proposed expansion of kitchen area approximately 20'-0" x 14'-0" = 280 s.f.	S.F.	280	\$50.00	\$22,400.00	
2.	Proposed expansion of dining area approximately 34'-0" x 34'-0" = 1,156 s.f.	S.F.	1156	\$80.00	<b>\$92,480.</b> 00	
3.	Electrical	L.S.	1	\$9,190.00	\$9,190.00	
4.	Civil including demolition	L.S.	1	\$11,488.00	\$11,488.00	
5.	Plumbing	L. <b>S.</b>	1	\$5,744.00	\$5,744.00	
			Direct Cost		\$141,302.00	
NOTE: The cost estimate is based on Fiscal Year 1990 and 25% escalation cost shall be added each year after 1990.				15% Contingency	<b>\$21,195.3</b> 0	
			Total 10% A/E & Contract Admin Total Const. Cost		\$162,497.30	
					\$16,249.73	
					\$178,747.03	
				SAY:	\$180,000.00	

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FISCAL NOTE BUREAU OF BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT RESEARCH

Date Received 11/16/90 **B111 No.** 1474 YES /7 NG IT Date Reviewed 11/26/90 Amendatory Bill Department/Agency Affected: Department of Education Department/Agency Head: Anita Sukola Total FY Appropriation to Date: \$85,877,781 Bill Title (preamble) : AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE DESIGN. CONSTRUCTION. AND EXPANSION OF KITCHEN AREA AT M.U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN YONA: FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL IN DEDEDO: FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A STAGE, EXPANSION OF DINING FACILITY AND EXPANSION OF PARKING AREA AT P.C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, IN BARRIGADA: FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL IN ORDOT: AND FOR DESIGN AND EXPANSION OF DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITY AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DEDEDO Change in Law: Bill's Impact on Present Program Funding: Reallocation Decrease x No Change Increase x Capital Improvement Other ( Operations Bill 1s for: FINANCIAL/PROGRAM IMPACT ESTIMATED SINGLE-YEAR FUND REQUIREMENTS (Per B111) TOTAL PROGRAM CATEGORY GENERAL FUND OTHER \$2,930,000 Education \$2,930,000 -0-ESTIMATED MULTI-YEAR FUND REQUIREMENTS (Per B111) 2nd 3rd 4th 5th TOTAL FUND 1st GENERAL FUND \$2,930,000 \$2,930,000 OTHER TOTAL FUNDS ADEQUATE TO COVER INTENT OF THE BILL? YES/NO-IF NO, ADD'L AMOUNT REQUIRED \$ 1/ AGENCY/PERSON/DATE CONTACTED: Dept. of Education / Joe Benavente 11/26/90 ESTIMATED POTENTIAL MULTI-YEAR REVENUES TOTAL 1st Ith 5th FUND 2nd 3rd GENERAL FUND No revenue is anticipated from this act, OTHER TOTAL book 2. King ess Rivera DATE 11/26/90 DIRECTOR JOSEPH RIVERA. Jess Actimo ANALYST

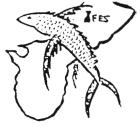
FOOTNOTES: Neither DOE nor DPW provided input during the formulation of the Bill. Thus,

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**FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** 

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GOVERNMENT OF GUAM P.O. BOX DE AGANA, GUAM 96910 632-9361



Arline C. Cruz Assistant Principal

November 20, 1990

Senator Franklin J. Arceo Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature Agana, Guam 96910

Dear Senator Quitugua:

Thank you for soliciting my input in regards to Bill No. 1474 which includes the design and expansion of dining and kitchen facilities at Finegayan Elementary School.

Finegayan Elementary School needs to have its own complete kitchen facilities. Of the four elementary schools in Dededo, Finegayan Elementary School ranks close to the top in student population (approximately 1200), but is the only one without adequate kitchen facilities. (Wettengel, Harmon Loop, and Maria Ulloa Elementary Schools have complete kitchen facilities). Breakfasts and lunches for Finegayan Elementary are prepared at and transported daily from the Dededo Middle School cafeteria.

Due to the lack of adequate kitchen facilities:

Food is frequently cold by the time students eat. Due to the number of students that are served daily, most food is cold by time they get to the serving line. Food can not be warmed up.

In instances where certain food (e.g. ham, pork) is not quite cooked, facilities are lacking to correct the situation.

Estimates of the number of student breakfasts or lunches are sometimes incorrect. When this happens, some students lose valuable instructional time waiting for food to arrive from Dededo Middle School.

At times, students are served with substitute food items due to insufficient quantities provided from the DMS cafeteria. For example, students may be served fried eggs and rice for breakfast. When the food runs out, students still waiting to eat may be served salami and bread or a peanut-butter and jelly sandwich. In fairness to students, everyone should be served with the same food items.

Marietta C. Guerrero Principal There are times when what is served at Finegayan is different than what is served at Dededo Middle School. On one occasion, Finegayan students were served hot dogs and beans for lunch while at Dededo Middle School chicken was served.

The cafeteria manager at Dededo Middle School also oversees the cafeteria operations at Finegayan. It takes longer to resolve matters requiring his input because he may not always be immediately available to respond to telephone calls.

Adequate kitchen facilities which includes dishwashing equipment would help to ensure that proper cleaning and sanitizing procedures are adhered to. At the present time, trays, silverware, and other equipment are washed manually. There have been incidents where some trays were found to be greasy in spite of having been washed. When the supply of hot water runs out, trays and silverware are washed in cold water.

Due to insufficient dining room space:

Students are scheduled to eat lunch at different times: the schedule is as follows:

lst: 10:30 - 11:15 a.m. 2nd: 10:40 - 11:25 a.m. 3rd: 10:50 - 11:35 a.m. 4th: 10:55 - 11:40 a.m. 5th: 11:00 - 11:45 a.m.

(Most of the kindergarten students do not eat breakfast or lunch in the cafeteria due to double sessions. However, when the all-day kindergarten is implemented, they will also be scheduled during a specific time frame.)

(Because students leave classes and return at different times, disruption of instruction occur from time to time as students pass through the hallways)

The cafeteria doubles as an indoor assembly area. However, it is difficult to have more than two grade levels in the cafeteria at any one time.

It is not possible to have an indoor school-wide assembly.

Inadequate cafeteria space restricts the school in some school community activities such as inviting all parents to have lunch with their children on special occasions such as National Lunch Week, Thanksgiving, Christmas, etc.

Adequate kitchen facilities and the expansion of the dining area would prevent or highly minimize the discrepancies noted above and would greatly increase service to the students, faculty, and staff.

Sincerely,

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MARIETTA C. GUERRERO, PRINCIPAL

cc: Director of Education Associate Superintendent, Elementary



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November 26, 1990

Senator Franklin J. Arceo Quitugua Chairman, Committee on Education Twentieth Guam Legislature

#### Re: Written Testimony on Bill No.: 1474

Dangkulo na si yu'us ma'ase for addressing some of the major needs of P.C. Lujan School. Since School Year 1989-90, you have been visiting our school and have been very instrumental with our major needs in which some are included in Bill No. 1474.

It is difficult for me to attend the public hearing on Bill No. 1474 on Thursday, November 29, 1990 at 9:00 A.M. in the Legislative Conference Room, Pacific Arcade due to regular instructional day supervision of students.

I have gone ahead and provided my testimony on Bill No. 1474 affecting P.C. Lujan School on the attached sheets.

Dangku'lo na si yu'us ma'ase. una

Si Rosary A. Leon Guerrero Principal, P.C. Lujan School

cc: Director of Education Assoc. Supt., Elem. Education PTO Officers

#### Bill No. 1474 - Proposed Measure for P.C. Lujan School

# I. Expansion of Dining Facility

Student enrollment count at P.C. Lujan School has increased over the years and currently has about 700 students.

The cafeteria existing can hold only 1/5 of these students at a time during breakfast or lunch meals. The administration implemented a staggering lunch schedule for all program levels so that students can utilize the cafeteria for the amount of space that it has. (see below schedule)

#### Lunch Schedule

10:45 - 11:30 A.M. - Pre-School Handicapped, First & Second Graders 11:00 - 11:45 A.M. - Third Graders 11:15 - 12:00 P.M. - Fourth & Fifth Graders

Inside the cafeteria dining area approximately one-fourth is utilized for cafeteria storing of dry goods and a dilapidating stage in the front of the cafeteria is also visible taking a fraction of dining space.

The cafeteria also has a severe lack of ventilation due to lack of openings increasing hot stored air inside making it unhealthy for the chidlren. This dining area is where the school holds its assemblies, school programs, PTO meetings, etc.

#### II. Parking Lot

Approximately 30 years when P.C. Lujan School was built the size of the parking lot was feasible addressing a small population utilizing the lot for less than 5 years projection. Now as students grew in population, our faculty, staff, parents, bus transportations also increased making the existing parking lot not conducive and safe for our children.

The exisiting parking lot can \_\_\_\_\_hardly mann. our faculty/ staff parking needs, parents are faced with parking outside the gates to include other visitors entering our campus, buses find it difficult to park due to less spatial areas in manuvering bus in to the appropriate parking, lack of safety considerations are addressed with existing parking lot to include lack of street lights for our evening school activites creating potential accidents and criminal mischief activities, cafeteria off and unloading zone obstruction by buses due to lack of space.

#### III. Design and Construction of a Stage

P.C. Lujan School for so many years has utilized the cafeteria for co-curricular activities, programs, PTO meetings, assemblies, etc.

The cafeteria dining area I addressed (See Section I) is not conducive for such activities. P.C. Lujan School is blessed with widespread land behind the school that can be utilized to install the construction of stage. This stage can **also** be used utilized by the community in coordination with DOE and the school administration.

In summary the written testimony that I have provided all reflects one mission in mind and that is meeting the unique needs and well-being of our children here at P.C. Lujan School. I am projecting that by year 2,000 enrollment may exceed over 1,000 students increasing facility needs.

Upgrading of our school facilities will indeed help our students acquire better learning experience and better quality education.



TWENTIETH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1990 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 1474 (COR)

Introduced by:

E.J.A. Quitugua G.T.C. Gutierrez

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND EXPANSION OF KITCHEN AREA AT M.U. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN YONA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A DINING FACILITY AT DEDEDO MIDDLE SCHOOL IN DEDEDO; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A STAGE, EXPANSION OF DINING FACILITY AND EXPANSION OF PARKING AREA AT P.C. LUJAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. IN BARRIGADA; FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF DINING FACILITY AT AGUEDA JOHNSTON MIDDLE SCHOOL IN ORDOT; AND FOR DESIGN AND EXPANSION OF DINING AND KITCHEN FACILITY AT FINEGAYAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN DEDEDO.

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

2 Section 1. Legislative Findings.

3 The Legislature is aware of the urgent need in the following Guam Public 4 schools for desperately needed facilities. The Legislature believes that these 5 needs should be addressed immediately for the Health and Welfare of our 6 children.

7 (a) M.U. Lujan Elementary School in Yona needs an expansion of the 8 cafeteria facility to provide needed full service kitchen for the approximately 9 1,000 students.

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(b) Dededo Middle School in Dededo needs a dining facility because the 11 children are presently eating in the gymnasium, which is unhealthy and prevents 12 the children's use of the gym for the regular Physical Education and recreational 13 activities.

14 (c) P.C. Lujan Elementary School in Barrigada needs an expanded dining 15 and new stage facility to accommodate the increased enrollment. The school 16 is presently experiencing overcrowding which necessitates the proposed

expansion.

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(d) Agueda Johnston Middle School in Ordot needs dining facility because
the children are presently eating in the gymnasium which is unhealthy and
prevents the children from using the gym for the normal Physical Education
program and recreational activities.

6 (e) Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo needs a complete kitchen 7 facility to serve the needs of this large elementary school. The school is located 8 in the highly populous municipality of Dededo and the facility is urgently needed.

9 Section 2. <u>Appropriations for M.U. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.</u> 10 Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund 11 to the Department of Education for the construction of the kitchen facility 12 at M.U. Lujan Elementary School in Yona.

Section 3. <u>Appropriation for Dededo Middle School, Dededo</u> One Million
 Dollars (\$1,000,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the
 Department of Education for the design and construction of dining facility at
 Dededo Middle School, in Dededo.

Section 4. <u>Appropriation for P.C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.</u>
Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$600,000) is hereby appropriated from the General
Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction and
expansion of a covered stage with men's/women's restrooms; expansion of parking
area at P.C. Lujan Elementary School, Barrigada.

22 Section 5. <u>Appropriation for Agueda Johnston Middle School, Ordot.</u> One 23 Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,100,000) is hereby appropriated from 24 the General Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction 25 of dining facility at Agueda Johnston Middle School, in Ordot.

26 Section 6. <u>Appropriation for Finegayan Elementary School, Dededo.</u> One 27 Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$180,000) is hereby appropriated from the 28 General Fund to the Department of Education for the design and construction 29 of a complete kitchen facility at Finegayan Elementary School in Dededo.