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The Honorable Vicente C. Pangelinan Speaker Mina' Bente Siete Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hessler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 376 (LS), "AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE, LEGISLATIVE, AND JUDICIAL BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2005, WHICH, TOGETHER WITH ANY OTHER GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005 SHALL BE KNOWN AS THE 'GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2005'," which I signed into law on October 1, 2004 as **Public Law No. 27-107**.

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FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga' Låhen Guåhan Governor of Guam

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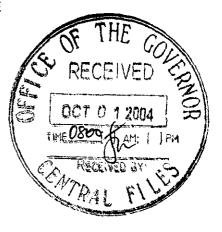
cc: The Honorable Tina Rose Muna-Barnes Senator and Legislative Secretary



MINA' BENTE SIETE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

TWENTY-SEVENTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 155 Hessler Place, Hagåtña, Guam 96910

October 1, 2004



The Honorable Felix P. Camacho I Maga'lahen Guåhan Ufisinan I Maga'lahi Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Maga'lahi Camacho:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 376(LS) which was passed by *I Mina' Bente Siete Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* on October 1, 2004.

Sincerely,

TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES Senator and Legislative Secretary

Enclosure (1)

I MINA'BENTE SIETE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2004 (SECOND) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN

This is to certify that Bill No. 376 (LS), "AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE, LEGISLATIVE, AND JUDICIAL BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2005, WHICH, TOGETHER WITH ANY OTHER GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005 SHALL BE KNOWN AS THE 'GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2005'," was on the 1st day of October, 2004, duly and regularly passed.

vicente (ben) c. pangelinan Speaker

Tina Rose Muña Barnes Senator and Legislative Secretary

Attested:

This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this day of October, 2004, at 1:55 o'clock A .M.

Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office

APPROVED

FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'lahen Guåhan

Date:

107 Public Law No.

I MINA'BENTE SIETE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2004 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 376 (LS)

Introduced by:

Committee on Appropriations and Budgeting, General Governmental Operations, Reorganization and Reform

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AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE **OPERATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE, LEGISLATIVE, AND** JUDICIAL BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2005, WHICH, TOGETHER WITH ANY **OTHER GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005 SHALL BE KNOWN AS THE "GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT** OF 2005".

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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Short Title. This Act together with any other general 1 Section 1. appropriations acts for Fiscal Year 2005 shall be collectively known as the 2 "General Appropriations Act of 2005". Except as otherwise provided by this 3 Act, the appropriations made by this Act shall be available to pay for 4 obligations incurred on or after October 1, 2004, but no later than September 5 30, 2005. Administrative and miscellaneous provisions directly governing 6 other general appropriations acts for Fiscal Year 2005 shall also govern this 7 Act unless otherwise specified herein. In the event that any appropriation of 8 this Act is found contrary to Federal law, all portions not so found shall 9 10 remain valid.

Section 2. Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2005 to the University of
 Guam for Scholarships and Training Programs.

Scholarships, Financial Assistance 13 (a) Student Programs and Program Administration. The sum of Two Million Five Hundred Eleven 14 Thousand Dollars (\$2,511,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the General 15 Fund to the University of Guam for Fiscal Year 2005, to be expended for the 16 following student scholarships, financial assistance programs and program 17 administrations: Merit Awards, Student Loans, Nurse Training Programs, 18 Professional and Technical Awards, Reserve Officer Training Corps 19 ("ROTC"), Regent Scholarships, Marine Lab Graduates Assistance Programs, 20 Early High School Admission Programs, Pedro "Doc" Sanchez Scholarship 21 Programs, John F. Quan Memorial Scholarship Program and administration of 22 all student financial assistance programs. 23

1 The University of Guam shall determine the allocation of this 2 appropriation in order to fund the various student scholarships, financial 3 assistance programs and program administration.

Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps. The sum of One **(b)** 4 Million Nine Hundred Fifteen Thousand One Hundred Fifty Dollars 5 (\$1,915,150.00) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the 6 University of Guam for Fiscal Year 2005, which shall disburse the funds 7 pursuant to the directives and policies of the Educator Corps Council, for 8 9 stipends for the Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps and for the administration of the Educator Corps Council, in accordance with the 10 11 provisions of Public Law 24-231, and §15107 of Title 17 of the Guam Code 12 Annotated, as *amended*.

(c) Carryover of Lapses. Notwithstanding any other provision of law
and in accordance with the provisions set forth in this Section and Chapter,
unexpended funds appropriated in prior fiscal years to the programs under
items (a) and (b) herein are available for the respective scholarship programs
for Fiscal Year 2005.

(d) Transfer Authorization from Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator
Corps. The University of Guam is authorized to transfer up to Five Hundred
Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) of carryover funds from the Dr. Antonio C.
Yamashita Educator Corps to the University of Guam for its Fiscal Year 2005
faculty positions; provided, *however*, that no benefits to recipients in the Dr.
Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps are to be diminished; and provided
further that Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.000) of the transferred

amount shall be used for the Bachelor of Liberal Studies with Emphasis on
 Women and Gender program.

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Section 3. Appropriations to the University of Guam.

(a) Appropriation for Aquaculture Development and Training Center.
The sum of One Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$140,000.00) is hereby
appropriated from the General Fund to the University of Guam ("UOG") for
the *sole* purpose of funding the continued operations of the Aquaculture
Development and Training Center. Such funds shall *not* be transferred or
used for any other purpose.

Appropriation for WERI's GHS. The sum of Two Hundred Four 10 **(b)** Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$204,200.00) is hereby appropriated from 11 12 the General Fund to the University of Guam ("UOG") to fund the Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific ("WERI") for the sole 13 14 purpose of funding the Guam Hydrologic Survey ("GHS"). WERI shall continue to administer the GHS for the same purposes that have previously 15 16 been established by the laws of Guam. Such funds shall not be transferred or used for any other purpose. 17

18 Appropriation for WERI's Comprehensive Water Resource (c) Monitoring Program. The sum of One Hundred Seventy-three Thousand 19 Nine Hundred Forty-eight Dollars (\$173,948.00) is hereby appropriated from 20 21 the General Fund to the University of Guam ("UOG") to fund the Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific ("WERI"). Such 22 funds shall be used for the sole purpose of matching the Federal funding for 23 24 the Comprehensive Water Resource Monitoring Program. WERI shall 25 continue to administer the Comprehensive Water Resource Monitoring

Program for the same purposes that have previously been established by the
 laws of Guam. Such funds shall *not* be transferred or used for any other
 purpose.

(d) Appropriation to the University of Guam College of Agriculture
and Liberal Sciences. The sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars
(\$100,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the University
of Guam College of Agriculture and Liberal Sciences, which shall be divided
equally between the Northern and Southern Soil and Water Conservation
Districts Program.

10 Section 4. Y Kuentan Salappe' Prinsepat (Principal's Fund). The sum 11 of Five Hundred Fifty-five Thousand Dollars (\$555,000.00) is hereby 12 appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Education for the 13 Principal's Fund of which Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) is allocated to 14 each school.

Appropriation to the Department of Administration for 15 Section 5. the Residential Treatment Fund. The sum of One Million Five Hundred 16 Twenty-four Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-three Dollars (\$1,524,553.00) is 17hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of 18 Administration ("DOA") to pay authorized expenses in Fiscal Year 2005 for 19 persons under the jurisdiction of the Superior Court of Guam for residential 20 care arising from physical, mental or emotional disabilities, or from severe 21 22 emotional disturbances. All patients and escorts referred off-Guam shall submit to the Director of DOA supporting documents to justify their 23 24 authorized travel expenses.

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Section 6. Appropriation to Unified Judiciary.

(a) The sum of Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$700,000.00) is
hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the Unified Judiciary, for the *sole* purpose of addressing court-appointed attorney fees related to the legal
defense of indigent people. Such funds shall be deposited into the Appointed
Counsel Trust Fund account, as stipulated in 7 GCA §22111 and shall *not* be
subject to any transfer authority.

8 **(b)** Appropriation for Drug Courts. The sum of Four Hundred Forty-9 two Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Dollars **(\$442,460.00)** is hereby 10 appropriated from the General Fund to the Unified Judiciary for the purpose 11 of funding the Drug Courts as follows:

- 12 (1) The sum of Two Hundred Twenty Thousand Eight Hundred
 13 Fifty-seven Dollars (\$220,857.00) for operational costs
 14 associated with the Adult Drug Court.
- 15 (2) The sum of Two Hundred Twenty-one Thousand Six
 16 Hundred Three Dollars (\$221,603.00) for operational costs
 17 associated with the Juvenile Drug Court.

Section 7. Appropriation to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. The sum of Six
Million Nine Hundred Thirty-seven Thousand Six Hundred Ten Dollars
(\$6,937,610.00) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* for its operations, including Personnel Services, for the period October
1, 2004, through September 30, 2005. The unexpended balance of sums
appropriated to *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* in Fiscal Year 2004 are available for use
in Fiscal Year 2005.

Appropriation to Office of Finance and Budget. There is 1 Section 8. hereby appropriated from the General Fund to I Liheslaturan Guåhan, 2 specifically for the Office of Finance and Budget ("OFB"), the sum of Five 3 Hundred Thirteen Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-four Dollars (\$513,334.00) 4 for operations, inclusive of Personnel Services, for the period October 1, 2004, 5 through September 30, 2005. The unexpended balance of sums appropriated 6 to the Office of Finance and Budget in Fiscal Year 2004 shall be available to 7 OFB to use in Fiscal Year 2005. 8

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Section 9. Appropriation to Office of the Public Auditor.

(a) The sum of Eight Hundred Sixty-eight Thousand One Hundred
Thirty-two Dollars (\$868,132.00) is hereby appropriated from the General
Fund to the Office of the Public Auditor for its operations, inclusive of its
Personnel Services, for the period October 1, 2004, through September 30,
2005.

(b) Lapses in the Office of the Public Auditor Fiscal Year 2004 budget
shall *not* revert back to the General Fund, but shall be carried over into Fiscal
Year 2005 and subject to further appropriation by *I Liheslatura*.

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Section 10. Appropriations to Mayors Council of Guam.

(a) The sum of Six Million Seven Hundred Fifty-six Thousand Three
Hundred Ten Dollars (\$6,756,310.00) is hereby appropriated from the General
Fund to the Mayors Council for Personnel Services, operations and utilities,
for the period October 1, 2004, through September 30, 2005, and for *prior* year
obligations.

(b) Lapses in the Mayors Council Fiscal Year 2004 budget and the
 Municipal Fund shall *not* revert back to the General Fund, but shall be carried
 over into Fiscal Year 2005 and subject to further appropriation by *I Liheslatura*.

Section 11. Guam State Clearinghouse Appropriation. The sum of
Three Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$325,000.00) is hereby
appropriated from the General Fund to the Guam State Clearinghouse for
Fiscal Year 2005.

8 Section 12. Executive Appropriation. The sum of Four Million Four 9 Hundred Seventy-eight Thousand Ninety Dollars (\$4,478,090.00) is hereby 10 appropriated from the General Fund which shall be allocated as follows:

(a) Office of I Maga'lahen Guåhan Appropriation. The sum of Two
Million Seven Hundred Fourteen Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-three Dollars
(\$2,714,663.00) for the Office of I Maga'lahen Guåhan for its operations,
inclusive of Personnel Services, for the period October 1, 2004, through
September 30, 2005.

(b) Medical Referral Offices. The sum of Six Hundred Thousand
Dollars (\$600,000.00) for the Medical Referral Offices and their operations
located in Los Angeles, California; Hawaii; and the Philippines.

(c) Office of I Segundu Na Maga'lahen Guåhan. The sum of One
Million One Hundred Sixty-three Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-seven
Dollars (\$1,163,427.00) for the Office of I Segundu na Maga'lahen Guåhan for its
operations, inclusive of Personnel Services, for the period October 1, 2004,
through September 30, 2005.

1 (d) Carryover of Lapses. The unexpended balance of the sums 2 appropriated to the offices of *I Maga'lahen Guåhan* and *I Segundu na Maga'lahen*

3 *Guåhan* in Fiscal Year 2004 are available for use in Fiscal Year 2005.

Section 13. Appropriation to the Bureau of Budget and Management
Research. The sum of One Million Two Hundred Twenty-three Thousand
Seven Hundred Five Dollars (\$1,223,705.00) is hereby appropriated from the
General Fund to the Bureau of Budget and Management Research for its Fiscal
Year 2005 operations, inclusive of its Personnel Services.

9 Section 14. Appropriation to the Bureau of Statistics and Plans. (a)
10 The sum of Nine Hundred Eighty-five Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-two
11 Dollars (\$985,332.00) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the
12 Bureau of Statistics and Plans for its Fiscal Year 2005 operations, inclusive of
13 Personnel Services.

(b) The sum of Eighty-five Thousand Dollars (\$85,000.00) is hereby
appropriated from the General Fund to the Bureau of Statistics and Plans for
the *specific* purpose of recruiting a Chief Economist and to fund necessary
related operations after recruitment.

Section 15. Appropriation to the Department of Administration for
the Government Claims Fund.

(a) The sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) is
hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the Government Claims Fund
under the Department of Administration for the payment of eligible and
approved Government Claims based on tort.

24 **(b)** The Director of the Department of Administration shall, *no later* 25 *than* forty-five (45) days after the close of each quarter of the fiscal year, submit to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* a full disclosure of all
 expenditures of said funds of this appropriation.

Section 16. Appropriation to the University of Guam for KPRG
(Public Radio). The sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) is
hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the University of Guam for
KPRG (Public Radio) for Fiscal Year 2005 operations. This appropriation shall *not* be used for *prior* years obligations.

8 Section 17. General Fund Reversion. All unexpended or 9 unencumbered appropriations made from the General Fund pursuant to this 10 Act, *unless* otherwise provided for Fiscal Year 2005, shall *revert* to the General 11 Fund on the last day of that fiscal year.

Section 18. Authorization for Matching Requirements for Federal
 Grants-In-Aid. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, departments are
 authorized to expend funds appropriated in this Act for matching
 requirements of Federal grants.

16 Section 19. I Maga'lahen Guåhan Transfer Authority. Except as otherwise provided in this Act, I Maga'lahen Guåhan is hereby authorized to 17 transfer not more than fifteen percent (15%) of funds appropriated to the 18 Executive Branch by this Act within an agency, or between agencies of the 19 Executive Branch. No transfer shall occur from Operations into the Personnel 20 Services category. This transfer authority shall not be applicable to funds 21 22 allocated to the Unified Judiciary of Guam, I Liheslaturan Guåhan. the University of Guam, the Guam Community College, the Office of the 23 Attorney General, the Office of the Public Auditor, the Guam Police 24

Department, Guam Memorial Hospital, Mayors Council, the Department of
 Education and Federal funds.

I Maga'lahen Guåhan shall submit a report to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on the fifth (5th) day of every month subsequent to the enactment of this Act on the application of the provisions contained herein. Such report shall include detailed information on the source and amount of such transfers and the agency receiving such funds.

8 Section 20. Transfer Authority Amendment. Section 5 of Chapter VII 9 of the Public Law that results from the overridden Bill 363 (LS) is hereby 10 *amended* to read as follows:

"I Maga'lahen Guåhan Transfer Authority. Except as otherwise 11 12 provided in this Act, I Maga'lahen Guåhan is hereby authorized to 13 transfer not more than fifteen percent (15%) of funds appropriated to the Executive Branch by this Act within an agency, or between agencies of 14 the Executive Branch. No transfer shall occur from Operations into the 15 Personnel Services category. 16 This transfer authority shall not be applicable to funds allocated to the Unified Judiciary of Guam, I 17 Liheslaturan Guåhan, the University of Guam, the Guam Community 18 College, the Office of the Attorney General, the Office of the Public 19 20 Auditor, the Guam Police Department, Guam Memorial Hospital, 21 Mayors Council, the Department of Education and Federal funds.

I Maga'lahen Guåhan shall submit a report to the Speaker of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* on the fifth (5th) day of every month subsequent to
 the enactment of this Act on the application of the provisions contained

herein. Such report shall include detailed information on the source and
 amount of such transfers and the agency receiving such funds."

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Section 21. Department of Education Analysis. §3103(n) of Chapter 3,
Division 2 of Title 17, Guam Code Annotated as *amended* by the Public Law
that results from the overridden Bill 363 (LS) on September 30, 2004, to read as
follows:

"§3103(n) prepare a feasibility/impact/cost savings analysis for
the Guam Education Policy Board recommending the potential
privatization of existing services for the Department of Education."

10 Section 22. Severability. *If* any provision of this Act or its application 11 to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the invalidity shall *not* affect 12 other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given effect without 13 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act 14 are severable.