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The Honorable Vicente C. Pangelinan Speaker *Mina'Bente Siete Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* Twenty-Seventh Guam Legislature 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Speaker Pangelinan:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 130 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE GUAM POWER AUTHORITY TO BORROW MONEY FOR THE PURCHASE OF FUEL FOR ITS BASELOAD GENERATORS, BY AMENDING PUBLIC LAW 27-03," which I have signed into law on July 18, 2003 as Public Law 27-28.

Sincerely yours,

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

Attachment: copy attached of signed bill

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

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I MINA'BENTE SIETE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2003 (FIRST) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 130 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE GUAM POWER AUTHORITY TO BORROW MONEY FOR THE PURCHASE OF FUEL FOR ITS BASELOAD GENERATORS, BY AMENDING PUBLIC LAW 27-03," was on the 7th day of July, 2003, duly and regularly passed.

vicente (ben) c. pangelinan Speaker

Tina Rose Muña-Barnes Senator and Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by *I Maga'lahen Guåhan* this $\frac{844}{2}$ day of July, 2003, at <u>3:17</u> o'clock <u>P</u>.M.

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APPROVED: FELIX P. CAMACHO

I Maga'lahen Guåhan

Date:

Public Law No. ______

I MINA'BENTE SIETE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2003 (FIRST) Special Session

Bill No. 130 (COR)

As Substituted on the Floor and amended.

Introduced by:

v. c. pangelinan Mark Forbes Frank B. Aguon, Jr. J. M.S. Brown F. R. Cunliffe C. Fernandez L. F. Kasperbauer R. J. Klitzkie J. A. Lujan T. R. Muña-Barnes J. M. Quinata R. J. Respicio Toni Sanford Ray Tenorio

AN ACT TO AMEND THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE GUAM POWER AUTHORITY TO BORROW MONEY FOR THE PURCHASE OF FUEL FOR ITS BASELOAD GENERATORS, BY AMENDING PUBLIC LAW 27-03.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM: 1

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Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds that Public Law 27-03, which authorized the Guam Power 3 4 Authority (GPA) to borrow the sum of Ten Million Dollars 5 (\$10,000,000.00) for the purchase of fuel for its baseload generators, places a ninety (90)-day limit on the duration for the repayment of the 6 loan. However, because of cash shortfall within the Guam Power 7

Authority, GPA is unable to meet the timeframe mandated by Public 1 Law 27-03. 2

Therefore, it is the intent of I Liheslaturan Guåhan to allow the 3 Guam Power Authority to renegotiate the terms of the loan to extend 4 the repayment period with the lender; provided it does not exceed nine 5 (9) months. 6

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Section 2. Subsection (b) of Section 2 of Public Law 27-03 is 7 hereby amended to read as follows: 8

"(b) Terms and Conditions. The terms of the loan shall 9 include the following: 10

- The interest rate shall be subject to competitive 11 (i) negotiations between the Consolidated Commission 12 on Utilities and the Bank of Guam; provided that the 13 14 interest rate is within the best interest of the people of 15 Guam;
- Funds necessary for such repayment of interest and 16 (ii) 17paid from principal shall be the revenues, reimbursements from advances for FEMA repairs and 18 restorations, and settlement of insurance and FEMA 19 20 claims of Guam Power Authority;
- 21 The duration for the repayment of the loan shall not (iii) 22 exceed nine (9) months;
 - There shall be no collateral or commitment fees." (iv)