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The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat Speaker Mina' Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hessler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Speaker Won Pat:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 189(EC), "AN ACT TO AMEND §61.30 OF CHAPTER 611, TITLE 9 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LOITERING IN OR AROUND SCHOOL BUS STOPS" which I signed into law on March 19, 2008 as **Public Law 29-55.**

Sinseru yan Magåhet,

FELIX P. CAMACHO

I Maga'låhen Guåhan Governor of Guam

Attachment: copy of Bill

cc: The Honorable Tina Rose Muña Barnes,

Senator and Legislative Secretary

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I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2008 (SECOND) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that **Bill No. 189 (EC)**, "AN ACT TO AMEND §61.30 OF CHAPTER 61, TITLE 9 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LOITERING IN *OR* AROUND SCHOOL BUS STOPS," was on the 6th day of March, 2008, duly and regularly passed.

Attested: Tina Rose Muña Barnes Senator and Secretary of the Legislature	J. T. Won Pat Speaker
This Act was received by <i>I Maga'lahen Guåhan</i> this o'clockM.	day of, 2008, at
APPROVED: FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'lahen Guåhan	Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office
Date: 19 march 2008 Public Law No. 29-55	

I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2007 (FIRST) Regular Session

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Bill No. 189 (EC)
As amended.

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AN ACT TO AMEND §61.30 OF CHAPTER 61 OF TITLE 9 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO LOITERING IN OR AROUND SCHOOL BUS STOPS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. §61.30 of Title 9 GCA Chapter 61 is hereby *amended* to read:

"§61.30. Loitering or Prowling; Defined & Punished; Defenses.

(a) A person commits a violation *if* he loiters *or* prowls in a place, at a time, *or* in a manner not usual for law-abiding individuals under circumstances that warrant alarm for the safety of persons *or* property in the vicinity. Among the circumstances which may be considered in determining whether such alarm is warranted is the fact that the person takes

flight upon appearance of a peace officer, refuses to identify himself, or manifestly endeavors to conceal himself or any object.

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A person commits a violation *if* he loiters *or* prowls in *or* in close proximity to a school bus stop, at a time, *or* in a manner not usual for lawabiding individuals under circumstances that warrant alarm for the safety of persons *or* property in the vicinity.

- (b) Unless flight by the person *or* other circumstances makes it impracticable, a peace officer *shall* prior to any arrest for an offense under this Section afford the person an opportunity to dispel any alarm which would otherwise be warranted, by requesting him to identify himself and explain his presence and conduct.
- (c) No person *shall* be convicted of an offense under this Section *if* the peace officer did not comply with Subsection (b) *or if* it appears at trial that the explanation given by the person was true and, *if* believed by the peace officer at the time would have dispelled the alarm."