


CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 1, "An Act to make appropriations for the operation of the government of Guam for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1955, and for other purposes", was on the 17th day of February, 1954, duly and regularly passed.



A. B. WON PAT
Speaker

ATTESTED:



V. B. BAMBA
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 19th day of February, 1954, at 8:38 o'clock A. M.



R. S. HEREMAN
Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:



R. S. HEREMAN
Acting Governor of Guam

Dated: March 10, 1954

P.L. 2-2 (25)

1 SECOND GUAM LEGISLATURE
2 1954 (SECOND) Special Session

3 Bill No. 1

4 Introduced by F. I. Ramirez,
5 by request

6 An Act to make appropriations for the operation
7 of the government of Guam for the fiscal year
ending June 30, 1955, and for other purposes.

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

9 Section 1. The following sums are appropriated out of any moneys
10 in the Treasury of Guam, not otherwise appropriated, for the operation of
11 the government of Guam for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1955:

12 FOR THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH:

13	Office of the Governor	\$ 53,654
14	Office of Budget and Management	40,815
15	Department of Land Management	216,970
16	A. B. C. Board	15,978
17	Commissioners of Guam	238,692
18	Department of Finance	318,735
19	Department of Law	94,250
20	Department of Public Safety	727,924
21	Civil Defense Agency	16,906
22	Department of Education	2,060,195
23	Nieves M. Flores Library	22,880
24	Department of Commerce	25,170
25	Department of Labor and Personnel	86,566
26	Department of Agriculture	123,710
27	Department of Medical Services	1,461,273
28	Department of Public Works	619,256
29	Retirement Fund Contribution	543,528

30 Section 2. The Governor of Guam may transfer not to exceed twenty
31 per cent (20%) of any of the foregoing item or items of this appropriation
32 to any other item or items of this appropriation, but no item of

1 appropriation shall be increased more than twenty percentum as a result
2 of such transfer; provided, that quarterly a statement of any such
3 transfer shall be transmitted to the Guam Legislature.

4 Section 3. The Governor is authorized to withdraw from time to
5 time from the funds made available by the appropriation made herein for
6 the operation of the Department of Education such sums as may be necessary,
7 not to exceed a total of \$25,000, for making loans to worthy students for
8 the purpose of furthering their education by their attendance at institu-
9 tions of higher education all in accordance with regulations prescribed
10 by the Governor.

11 Section 4. The Director of Finance may retain and make available
12 for a period of one year after expiration of the appropriations herein
13 made, a portion of the unobligated balance of appropriations for normal
14 operation of the Government to be computed at five per cent (5%) of the
15 outstanding encumbrances solely for adjustments in obligations as such
16 adjustments may become necessary at the time payments are made.

17 Section 5. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) is hereby
18 appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury of Guam not otherwise
19 appropriated for use as a Housing Revolving Fund, which the Governor is
20 hereby authorized to establish. Said Fund shall be available for payment
21 of the costs of maintenance, operation and the supplying of light, power
22 and water to housing quarters occupied by all authorized persons. All
23 charges assessed against such persons as rent shall be payable to the
24 Fund; provided, that it is hereby declared to be the policy of the govern-
25 ment of Guam that housing for employees and other authorized persons of
26 the government shall not be provided at a loss but shall be on a self-
27 sustaining basis.

28 Section 6. This Act is an urgency measure and shall take effect
29 upon the date of its approval by the Governor.
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