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Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Speaker I Mina'trentai Tres Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 28-33 (COR) "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 26-100, RELATIVE TO REMOVING THE TIME RESTRICTION FOR THE **GUAM** POLICE DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS, ADMINISTRATIVE AND OTHER AGENCY SECTIONS TO OCCUPY GOVERNMENT-OWNED FACILITIES AT TIYAN" which was signed into law on February 25, 2015, as Public Law 33-06.

Senseramente.

S. TENORIO

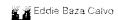
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## I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2015 (FIRST) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Bill No. 28-33 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 26-100, RELATIVE TO REMOVING THE TIME RESTRICTION FOR THE GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS, ADMINISTRATIVE AND OTHER AGENCY SECTIONS TO OCCUPY GOVERNMENT-OWNED FACILITIES AT TIYAN," was on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.
Speaker

Attested:  Tina Rose Muña Barnes Legislative Secretary	
This Act was received by <i>I Maga'lahen Gua</i> 2015, at 4:39 o'clock 1.M.	åhan this 23 ml day of Fes ,
APPROVED:  RAYMOND S. TENORIO	Assistant Staff Officer <i>Maga'lahi's</i> Office
Acting Governor of Guam	
Date: FEB 2 5 2015	
Public Law No. 33-06	

## I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2015 (FIRST) Regular Session

#### Bill No. 28-33 (COR)

As amended by the Committee on the Guam U.S. Military Relocation, Public Safety, and Judiciary.

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF PUBLIC LAW NO. 26-100, RELATIVE TO REMOVING THE TIME RESTRICTION FOR THE GUAM POLICE DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTERS, ADMINISTRATIVE AND OTHER AGENCY SECTIONS TO OCCUPY GOVERNMENT-OWNED FACILITIES AT TIYAN.

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

- 2 Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds
- 3 that Public Law No. 31-22 amended Public Law No. 26-100, which established
- 4 time restrictions for the Guam Police Department (Department) to vacate

- 1 government property located in Tiyan, which is under the ownership of the
- 2 Antonio B. Won Pat International Airport Authority, Guam (Airport Authority).
- 3 As the Guam Police Department continues to explore options in identifying a more
- 4 permanent facility for its headquarters, administrative and other operational
- 5 requirements that are presently located in *Tiyan*, it is essential that existing public
- 6 law be amended to grant the Department additional time to finalize its long-term
- 7 facility requirements and location.

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8 It is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* that the removal of the timeline

9 which exists in law should not directly impact any pre-existing or future

arrangements between the Airport Authority and the Guam Police Department.

11 Therefore, this provision would amend the existing law and remove the time period

in which the Department must vacate the Airport Authority government facilities

in Tiyan, and which would enable the Department (with no pre-established time

restriction) to continue to pursue its options of identifying or constructing a

15 permanent headquarters and administrative facility.

16 Section 2. Use of *Tiyan* Property by the Guam Police Department.

17 Section 2 of Public Law No. 26-100, pertaining to the discontinuance of use of

Tiyan property owned by the Antonio B. Won Pat International Airport Authority,

Guam by specified government of Guam entities, which was amended by Public

20 Law No. 31-22, is hereby further *amended* to read as follows:

"Section 2. Discontinuance of *Tiyan* Use. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, beginning on October 1, 2002, no government agency other than GIAA shall lease space for office or other purposes on *Tiyan* properties under the jurisdiction of GIAA, *except* to the extent that such office space may be required by the Customs and Quarantine Agency and the Department of Agriculture, both for activities associated with operations at GIAA, and *except* for the Guam Police Department

headquarters and administrative operations until a permanent facility is constructed for GPD.

Provisions *shall* be made in the annual budget acts to appropriate funds needed to accommodate past, current and future rentals that may be required pursuant to this Act. Government agencies *shall* be relocated to facilities owned and operated by the government of Guam where such is feasible. The provisions of this Section also apply in the case of *Tiyan* properties under the jurisdiction of the Guam Economic Development Authority (GEDA), the Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) or its successor, and the Guam Housing and Urban Renewal Authority (GHURA)."

**Section 3. Severability Clause.** If any provision of this law or its application to any person or circumstance is found to be invalid, or contrary to law, such invalidity *shall not* affect other provisions or applications of this law which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable.