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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

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Office of the Speaker Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D

04,21-16 Date: ____ Received By: _

Dear Madame Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 253-33 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1(j)(2) OF CHAPTER V OF PUBLIC LAW 33-66, RELATIVE TO THE CARRYOVER OF FISCAL YEAR 2015 AND FISCAL YEAR 2014 APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, " which lapsed into law on April 16, 2016, as **Public Law 33-149**.

Senseramente,

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I MINA 'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2016 (SECOND) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 253-33 (COR), "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1(j)(2) OF CHAPTER V OF PUBLIC LAW 33-66, RELATIVE TO THE CARRYOVER OF FISCAL YEAR 2015 AND FISCAL YEAR 2014 **APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,"** was

on the 2nd day of April 2016, duly and regularly passed.

Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D. Speaker

Tina Rose Muña Barnes Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by I Maga'låhen Guåhan this 04 day of APP1L,

2016, at <u>/>:/>r/</u> o'clock <u>/>.</u>.M.

Assistant Staff Officer

Maga'låhi's Office

APPROVED:

EDWARD J.B. CALVO I Maga'låhen Guåhan

APR 1 6 2016 Date:

Public Law No. 33–149

I MINA'TRENTAI TRES NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2016 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 253-33 (COR)

As amended by the Sponsor; and substituted on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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V. Anthony Ada FRANK B. AGUON, JR. Frank F. Blas, Jr. B. J.F. Cruz James V. Espaldon Brant T. McCreadie Tommy Morrison T. R. Muña Barnes R. J. Respicio Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. Mary Camacho Torres N. B. Underwood, Ph.D. Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1(j)(2) OF CHAPTER V OF PUBLIC LAW 33-66, RELATIVE TO THE CARRYOVER OF FISCAL YEAR 2015 AND FISCAL YEAR 2014 APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that the Department of Public Works has a fleet of one hundred thirty-three (133) school buses; and that seventy-eight (78) buses, or fifty-nine percent (59%) of the school bus fleet, are beyond economic service using the mileage or the years in service criteria; and finds that an effective preventative maintenance program serves to improve the reliability of the buses and lowers the overall operating cost ofoperation.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that, when feasible, the higher cost of operating and maintaining a vehicle that has surpassed its economic service life is best addressed through the outright replacement of the older buses with newer and more efficient buses.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan finds that there is a total balance of One Million Three
Hundred Sixty-nine Thousand Nine Hundred Four Dollars (\$1,369,904) in FY 2015
lapsed funds - Three Hundred Fifty-six Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-four
Dollars (\$356,794) from the General Fund, and One Million Thirteen Thousand One
Hundred Ten Dollars (\$1,013,110) from the Guam Highway Fund.

I Liheslaturan Guåhan further finds that there is a total balance of Five
Hundred Twenty-four Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-three Dollars (\$524,963) in
FY 2014 lapsed funds - Two Hundred Six Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy-nine
Dollars (\$206,879) from the General Fund Fleet/Fuel Monitoring System, Two
Hundred Fifty-three Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-six Dollars (\$253,376) from
Bus Operations, and Sixty-four Thousand Seven Hundred Eight Dollars (\$64,708)
from the Guam Highway Fund Bus Operations Fuel.

19 It is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to authorize the carryover of unused 20 funds from FY 2014 and FY 2015 to the Department of Public Works for the 21 purchase of new school buses.

Section 2. Section 1(j)(2) of Chapter V of Public Law 33-66 is hereby *amended* to read:

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"(2) Carryover of FY 2015 and FY 2014 Appropriations for the Department of Public Works. Notwithstanding any provision of law, any balance of unused funds appropriated to the Department of Public Works for Fiscal Year 2015 and Fiscal Year 2014 *shall not* lapse and *shall* carry over

into Fiscal Year 2016 for the conduct of preventative and remedial
maintenance of school buses, and for the purchase of new school buses.
Preventative and remedial maintenance *shall* include the purchase of
automotive supplies, parts, tools and materials, radio units and other small
equipment to support preventative and remedial maintenance services. These
balances of unused funds *shall* be available until fully expended."

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Section 3. Severability. 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 provisions or applications and to this end the provisions of this law are severable.