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37-15-0852 Office of the Speaker Judith T. Won Pat. Ed.D

Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.

Speaker

I Mina'trentai Tres Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

155 Hesler Street

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Dear Madame Speaker,

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 99-33 (COR) "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 7 TO CHAPTER 80 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING A HORMONE OR ANTI-ANDROGEN PILOT TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR PERSONS CONVICTED OF SEX CRIMES," which was signed into law on September 7, 2015, as Public Law 33-67.

Sincerely,

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

# CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LÂHEN GUÂHAN

This is to certify that Bill No. 99-33 (COR), "AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 7 TO CHAPTER 80 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING A HORMONE OR ANTI-ANDROGEN PILOT TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR PERSONS CONVICTED OF SEX CRIMES," was on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2015, duly and regularly passed.

| Attested:  | Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D.<br>Speaker               |
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| Tina Rose Muña Barnes<br>Legislative Secretary           |   |
| This Act was received by <i>I Maga'låhen Gu</i> 2015, at | uåhan this 3th day of Sept,  Clishith (1-) Mafine |
| APPROVED:  | Assistant Staff Officer  Maga'lahi's Office       |
| EDWARD J.B. CALVO<br>I Maga'låhen Guåhan                 |   |
| Date: <u>\$EP 0 7 2015</u> Public Law No. 33-67          |   |

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

Bill No. 99-33 (COR)

As amended on the Floor.

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AN ACT TO ADD A NEW ARTICLE 7 TO CHAPTER 80 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO ESTABLISHING A HORMONE OR ANTI-ANDROGEN PILOT TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR PERSONS CONVICTED OF SEX CRIMES.

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

- 2 Section 1. This Act shall be known and may be cited as the "Chemical
- 3 Castration for Sex Offenders Act."
- 4 Section 2. A new Article 7 is added to Chapter 80 of Title 9, Guam Code
- 5 Annotated, to read as follows:

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6 "ARTICLE 7

| 1  | HORM                                | ONE OR ANTI-ANDROGEN PILOT TREATMENT                            |  |
|----|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| 2  | PROGRAM FOR CONVICTED SEX OFFENDERS |   |  |
| 3  | § 80.100.                           | Definitions.  |  |
| 4  | § 80.101.                           | Hormone or Anti-Androgen Pilot Treatment Program -              |  |
| 5  |                                     | Establishment, Eligibility.                                     |  |
| 6  | § 80.102.                           | Rules.  |  |
| 7  | § 80.103.                           | Costs.  |  |
| 8  | § 80.104.                           | Use of Hormone or Anti-Androgen Treatment Program               |  |
| 9  |                                     | with Persons not Included in Pilot Program; Referrals to        |  |
| 10 |                                     | the Program.  |  |
| 11 | § 80.105.                           | Sunset Provision.   |  |
| 12 | § 80.100 <b>.</b>                   | <b>Definitions.</b> As used in this Article:                    |  |
| 13 | (a)                                 | Sex crime means an offense under 9 GCA §§ 25.15,                |  |
| 14 | 25.20, or 25                        | 25.20, or 25.25.  |  |
| 15 | (b)                                 | Parole Board means the Guam Parole Board established            |  |
| 16 | pursuant to 9 GCA, Chapter 85.      |   |  |
| 17 | § 80.101.                           | Hormone or Anti-Androgen Pilot Treatment Program                |  |
| 18 | – Establishment,                    | Eligibility.  |  |
| 19 | (a)                                 | The Department of Corrections shall establish a pilot           |  |
| 20 | treatment p                         | program for persons convicted of a sex crime who are            |  |
| 21 | eligible for                        | r, or sentenced to, parole or post-prison supervision.          |  |
| 22 | Evaluation                          | of this pilot treatment program will be completed no later      |  |
| 23 | than three (                        | (3) years after the date of implementation of the program,      |  |
| 24 | and an eval                         | uation report shall be transmitted to the Parole Board upon     |  |
| 25 | completion.                         | completion. The purpose of the program is to reduce the risk of |  |
| 26 | reoffending                         | after release on parole or post-prison supervision by           |  |
| 27 | providing c                         | ertain persons, convicted of sex crimes who are deemed          |  |

anti-androgen, such as medroxyprogesterone acetate, each year.

- Under the program, the Department of Corrections shall:
- screen persons convicted of sex crimes who are eligible for release within six (6) months on parole or postprison supervision to determine their suitability for hormone or
- refer persons found most likely to benefit from hormone or anti-androgen treatment to a competent physician for medical evaluation, and a competent psychologist for
- unless medically contraindicated after the evaluation by a competent physician, to a community physician to begin hormone or anti-androgen treatment one (1) week prior to release on parole or post-prison
- The Parole Board may require, as a condition of parole or post-prison supervision, hormone or anti-androgen treatment during all or a portion of parole or post-prison supervision of persons required to participate in the hormone or anti-androgen treatment
- A person required to undergo a treatment program under Subsection (b) of this Section violates a condition of parole or postprison supervision, and is subject to sanctions, if the person:
  - fails to cooperate in the treatment program required under Subsection (b) of this Section; or

- (2) takes any steroid or other chemical to counteract the treatment required under Subsection (b) of this Section.
- (e) If a person voluntarily undergoes a permanent surgical alternative to treatment under Subsection (b) of this Section, he or she *shall not* be subject to hormone or anti-androgen treatment under this Section. All costs of such permanent surgical alternative *shall* be paid by the person undergoing such procedure.
- (f) Any physician who acts in good faith under this Section in the administration of hormone or anti-androgen treatment, or the evaluation of persons for hormone or anti-androgen treatment, *shall* be immune from civil or criminal liability in connection with such treatment or evaluation.

#### § 80.102. Rules.

- (a) The Department of Corrections *shall* adopt rules, pursuant to the Administrative Adjudication Law, to implement and enforce the treatment program of hormone or anti-androgen, such as medroxyprogesterone acetate, under § 80.101 of this Article. Rules adopted under this Subsection *shall* include, but *not* be limited to:
  - (1) a requirement that the offender be informed of the effect of the treatment program, including any side effects that may result from the treatment program;
  - (2) a requirement that the offender acknowledge receipt of the information the Department is required to present to the offender under Paragraph (1) of this Subsection;
  - (3) procedures to monitor compliance with the treatment program;

- (4) procedures to test for attempts to counteract the treatment program, that may include chemical testing of the offender's blood and urine; and
- (5) a requirement that the Department of Corrections develop evaluation criteria and evaluate this pilot treatment program no later than three (3) years after the date of implementation of the treatment program, and that an evaluation report be transmitted to the Parole Board upon completion.
- (b) The Department of Corrections may contract, pursuant to the requirements of Guam law, with community physicians, laboratories, or other medical service providers, to administer the program of hormone or anti-androgen treatment under § 80.101 of this Article, or to monitor compliance with the treatment program.

#### § 80.103. Costs.

A person required to undergo a treatment program of hormone or antiandrogen, such as medoxyprogesterone acetate, under § 80.101 of this Article *shall* pay or reimburse all costs of the treatment program directly to the department, agency, or organization administering the treatment program.

# § 80.104. Use of Hormone or Anti-Androgen Treatment Program with Persons not Included in Pilot Program; Referrals to the Program.

Nothing in § 80.101 or § 80.102 of this Article prohibits the Parole Board from requiring hormone or anti-androgen treatment for a person whom the Department of Corrections did not screen or evaluate as described in § 80.101 of this Article, or from referring to the Department of

Corrections for screening, evaluation or treatment, as provided for under § 80.101 of this Article, persons convicted of sex crimes.

§ 80.105. Sunset Provision. The pilot treatment program *shall* come to an end forty-eight (48) months after the date of implementation of this treatment program. A detailed evaluation report, which addresses the effectiveness and financial impact of the pilot treatment program *shall* be provided by the Director of Department of Corrections to *I Liheslaturan Guahan* by the thirty-sixth (36<sup>th</sup>) month of the implementation of this treatment program to determine if new legislation should be passed authorizing its continuation."

**Section 3. Effective Date.** The provisions of this Act *shall* become effective upon enactment.