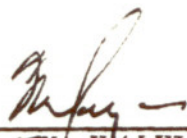


FIFTH GUAM LEGISLATURE
1960 (SECOND) Regular Session


CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 303, "An Act to amend Section 1716 of the Civil Code of Guam relative to the liability of parents for the acts of a minor", was on the 26th day of February, 1960, duly and regularly passed.



M. U. LUJAN
Vice-Speaker

ATTESTED:




V. B. BAMBA
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 12th day
of March, 1960 3:30 o'clock PM.



MANUEL F. L. GUERRERO
Assistant Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:



MARCELLUS GRAEME BOSS
Acting Governor of Guam

DATED: 14 March 1960
3:30 o'clock PM.

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Bill No. 303

Introduced by _____
Committee on Rules,
by request

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1716 OF THE CIVIL CODE
OF GUAM RELATIVE TO THE LIABILITY OF PARENTS
FOR THE ACTS OF A MINOR.

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

2 Section 1. Section 1716 of the Civil Code of Guam, is hereby
3 amended to read as follows:

4 "Section 1716. Civil Liability of Parents. The government
5 of Guam, the United States of America, its instrumentalities or
6 agencies, any religious organization whether incorporated or
7 unincorporated, any partnership, any association, or any person,
8 shall be entitled to recover damages in a civil action in an
9 amount not to exceed \$500 in the Island Court of Guam from the
10 parents or guardians of any minor under the age of 18 years,
11 living with the parents or guardians, who shall steal or
12 maliciously or wilfully destroy or damage property, real, personal
13 or mixed, belonging to the government of Guam, the United States
14 of America, its instrumentalities or agencies, a religious
15 organization, whether incorporated or unincorporated, partnership,
16 association, or person. Any person shall be entitled to recover
17 damages in a civil action in an amount not to exceed \$500 in the
18 Island Court of Guam from the parents or guardians of any minor
19 under the age of 18 years, living with the parents or guardians,
20 who shall maliciously or wilfully commit any act resulting in
21 personal injury to such person or any minor child of such person.
22 The recovery shall be limited to the actual damages in an amount
23 not to exceed \$500, plus taxable court costs; except, that the
24 provisions of this section limiting the amount of damages
25 recoverable shall not apply to Section 11408 and Section 23504
26 of the Government Code."

27 Section 2. This Act will take effect on the first day of the first
28 month following approval by the Governor.

Section 3. This Act is a remedial measure.