FIFTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 1960 (SECOND) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This is to certify that Bill No. 301, "An Act to provide a special election for the purpose of ascertaining the views of the voters of Guam upon the appointment of a native-born Governor and upon the local election of governors of Guam", was on the 29th day of February, 1960, duly and regularly passed.

M. Ø. LUJAN Vice-Speaker

ATTESTED:

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V. B. BAMBA Legislative Secretary		
This Act was received by the Governor this of	2 - M.	day

MANUEL F. L. GUERRERO Assistant Secretary of Guam

MARCELLUS GRAEME BOSS
Acting Governor of Guam

DATED: 10 March 1960

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Introduced by

J. T. Sablan A. L. Cristobal

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AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASCERTAINING THE VIEWS OF THE VOTERS OF GUAM UPON THE APPOINTMENT OF A NATIVE-BORN

GOVERNOR AND UPON THE LOCAL ELECTION OF GOVERNORS

OF GUAM.

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

Section 1. There shall be held in Guam a Special Election on the first Monday after the first Tuesday of November, 1960, concurrently with the holding of the regular 1960 General Election, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of Guam two special questions, as hereinafter set out, to determine the will and desire of the people of Guam thereon. It shall be the duty of the Governor to issue a proclamation calling said special election for said date and purpose, in accordance with the election laws of Guam and the provisions of this Act.

Section 2. At said special election, each qualified elector shall be given a special ballot, to be prepared and furnished by the Election Commissioner in accordance with the law, which shall be in substantially the following form:

SPECIAL QUESTIONS

To vote in favor of the proposal place a cross (X) mark in the square opposite the word "YES".

To vote against the proposal, place a cross (X) mark in the square opposite the word "NO".

QUESTION NO. 1

Shall the people of Guam ask the President of the United States to appoint a native Guamanian as Governor of Guam?

No / /

QUESTION NO. 2

Shall the people of Guam ask the Congress of the United States to provide for a locally elected Governor of Guam?

Yes / /

No / /

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Section 3. The special election established in this Act shall 1 be conducted in all respects in the same manner as provided by law for 2 3 other elections, so far as such provisions may be applicable, except that such special ballots shall be kept in separate boxes and canvassed 4 separately. The results of such canvass shall be certified to the 5 Election Commissioner in similar manner as other election results, and by him duly certified to the Governor. The Governor shall cause the 7 results of said special election to be duly transmitted, by appropriate 8 letter or otherwise, to the Secretary of the Interior, with the request 9 that he in turn cause the same to be transmitted to the President of the 10 United States and the Congress of the United States. 11

Section 4. This Act is an urgency measure.

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