
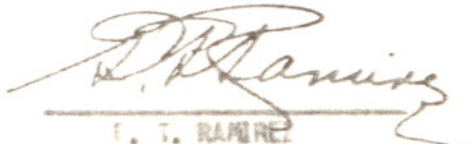


CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This certifies that Bill No. 140, "An Act to add a new Section 650 to Article III, Chapter X, Division III, of the Probate Code, relative to payment of certain sums to decedents' estates without probate", was on the 3rd day of July, 1967, duly and regularly passed.

  
J. C. ARRIOLA  
Speaker

ATTESTED:

  
F. T. RAMIREZ  
Legislative Secretary

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This Act was received by the Governor this 11th  
day of August, 1967 at 1:12 o'clock P.

/s/ Rudolph G. Sablan

Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:

7th March 1967

ANGELA F. L. GULMERA  
Governor of Guam

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NINTH GUAM LEGISLATURE  
1967 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 148

Introduced by

Committee on Rules, by request  
of the Governor in accordance  
with Section 6 (b) of the  
Organic Act of Guam.

AN ACT TO ADD A NEW SECTION 650 TO ARTICLE III, CHAPTER  
X, DIVISION III, OF THE PROBATE CODE, RELATIVE TO PAY-  
MENT OF CERTAIN SUMS TO DECEDENTS' ESTATES WITHOUT PROBATE.

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

2 Section 1. A new Section 650 is hereby added to Article III, Chapter X, Division  
3 III, of the Probate Code, to read as follows:

4 "Section 650. Social Security payments. If (a) not less than 30 days  
5 after the death of an individual entitled, at the time of death, to a monthly  
6 benefit or benefits under title II of the Social Security Act, all or part  
7 of the amount of such benefit or benefits, not in excess of \$1,000.00 is paid  
8 by the United States to (1) the surviving spouse, (2) one or more of the  
9 deceased's children, or descendants of his deceased children, (3) the deceased's  
10 father or mother, or (4) the deceased's brother or sister, preference being  
11 given in the order named if more than one request for payment shall have been  
12 made by or for such individuals, upon an affidavit made and filed with the  
13 Department of Health, Education, and Welfare by the surviving spouse or other  
14 relative by whom or on whose behalf request for payment is made; and

15 (b) such affidavit shows (1) the date of death of the deceased, (2) the  
16 relationship of the affiant to the deceased, (3) that no executor or adminis-  
17 trator for the deceased has qualified or been appointed, and (4) that, to the  
18 affiant's knowledge, there exists at the time of the filing of such affidavit,  
19 no relative of a closer degree of kindred to the deceased than the affiant;  
20 then such payment pursuant to such affidavit shall be deemed to be a payment  
21 to the legal representative of the decedent and shall constitute a full  
22 discharge and release from any further claim for such payment to the same  
23 extent as if such payment had been made to an executor or administrator of the  
24 decedent's estate."