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## CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This certifies that Bill No. 169, "An Act to repeal Subsection (e) of Section 4013, Chapter 1, Title V, and to add a new Subsection (e), in lieu thereof, and to add a new Subsection (f), all of the Government Code of Guam, relative to conflict and disclosure of interests of officers or employees," was on the 3rd day of July, 1967, duly and regularly passed.

J. C. ARRIULE Speaker

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F. T. RAMINEZ Legislative Secretary

/s/ RUDOLPH G. SABLAN

Secretary of Guan



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AN ACT TO REPEAL SUBSECTION (e) OF SECTION 4015, CHAPTER 1, TITLE V, AND TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION (e), IN LIEU THEREOF, AND TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION 4015 (f), ALL OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE OF GUAM, RELATIVE TO CONFLICT AND DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS OF OFFICERS OF EMPLOYEES.

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

Section 1. Subsection (e) of Section 4015, Government Code of Suam, is hereby repealed, and a new Subsection (e) is hereby enacted in lieu thereof, to read as follows:

- "(e) No officer or employee of the Government of Guam shall conduct or engage in any business or trade outside the government service without the prior approval of the Director of Labor and Personnel. No such approval shall be granted if such business or trade may be prejudicial to the best interests of the people or if there may be a conflict of interest between the efficer's or employee's government position and the outside trade or business. Failure to comply herewith shall be a ground for dismissal from the government service and the Director of Labor and Personnel shall order the compensation stopped of any officer or employee found to be in violation."
- Section 2. A new Subsection (f) is hereby saided to Section 4013, Chapter 1, Title V, Government Code of Guam, to read as follows:
  - "(f) Every officer or employee of the government who has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in any firm, partnership, business or corporation which contracts with the government, at the time of submission of bids or commencement of negotiations as the case may be, shall file a statement under oath with the Director of the Department of Finance describing said interest. Any such statement filed shall be a public record for all purposes. This Subsection shall not apply in case such contract involves a corporation in which

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the officer or employee has the ownership of not more than five percent (5%) of the capital stock.

- (1) As used in this subsection, 'officer' or 'employee' means all officers and employees of the Executive Branch of the Government.
- (2) Any contract entered into in violation of Subsection 4013(f) may be declared mull and void at the discretion of the government.
- (3) No contract may be entered into whereby any officer or employee shall have any administrative, supervisory, or directory power over the execution thereof if such officer or employee has any direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the contractor or in the contract. All contracts entered into in violation of this subparagraph (5) of Subsection 4015 (f) are void."

Section 3. Effective Date. This Act shall take effect the first day of the second month after approval by the Governor and shall not affect any contracts entered into prior to such date.