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CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This certifies that Bill No. 221, "An Act to add Sections 8803, 8804 and 8805 to the Government Code of Guam to provide for the gainful employment of prison inmates", was on the 11th day of July, 1967, duly and regularly passed.



J. C. ARRIOLA
Speaker

APPROVED:



F. T. RAMIREZ
Legislative Secretary

This Act was received by the Governor this 24th day
of July, 1967 at 4:47 o'clock P.M.

/s/ Rudolph E. Sabian

Acting Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:

Honorable F. L. Guerrero

MIGUEL Y. L. GONZALEZ
Governor of Guam

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FIFTH GUAM LEGISLATURE
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Bill No. 221

Introduced by

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AN ACT TO ADD SECTIONS 8803, 8804 AND 8805
TO THE GOVERNMENT CODE OF GUAM TO PROVIDE
FOR THE GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT OF PRISON INMATES.

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

2 Section 1. Section 8803 is hereby added to the Government Code
3 of Guam to read as follows:

4 "Section 8803. Labor of inmates. The Director of Public
5 Safety is authorized to permit a prison inmate who is confined for
6 an offense other than felony to be employed on a voluntary basis.
7 This authority shall be exercised under the following criteria and
8 conditions:

9 (a) Only inmates who have demonstrated good behavior and
10 some promise of being able to rehabilitate themselves by
11 engaging in gainful employment shall be allowed to work under
12 this provision;

13 (b) The working hours of such inmates shall fall between
14 the hours of 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. and such inmates shall continue
15 to be confined during non-working hours;

16 (c) The inmates are to be restricted to the premises of
17 their employer during working hours;

18 (d) The wages to be paid said inmates shall be the same as
19 those paid to others for similar work in the territory."

20 Section 2. Section 8804 is hereby added to the Government Code
21 of Guam to read as follows:

22 "Section 8804. Reimbursement of cost to government. An inmate
23 who is allowed to engage in gainful employment is required to
24 reimburse the government for the costs of his confinement. The

1 Director of Public Safety shall collect said reimbursement and deposit
2 same in the Treasury of Guam."

3 Section 3. Section 8805 is hereby added to the Government Code
4 of Guam to read as follows:

5 "Section 8805. Rules and Regulations. The Director of Public
6 Safety, subject to the approval and promulgation of the Governor
7 by Executive Order, is authorized to make rules and regulations
8 to govern the employment of inmates in private enterprise. Such
9 rules and regulations shall take into consideration the primary
10 object of this program which is to rehabilitate the inmate so
11 that upon his release from custody he may return to society as a
12 useful and contributing citizen."

13 Section 4. This Act is an urgency measure.