

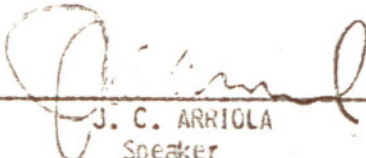
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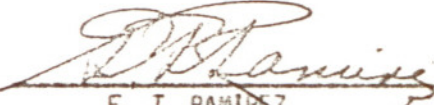
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CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO THE GOVERNOR

This certifies that Bill No. 386, "An Act to add Chapter IV to Title VII of Part II of the Penal Code of Guam to authorize the extension of prisoners' confinement limits under certain circumstances", was on the 31st day of January, 1968, 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 6<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1968 at 2:35 o'clock P. M.

/s/ DENVER DICKERSON

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DENVER DICKERSON  
Secretary of Guam

APPROVED:

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Bill No. 386

Introduced by \_\_\_\_\_  
Committee on Public Safety,  
Military and Veterans Affairs.

AN ACT TO ADD CHAPTER IV TO TITLE VII OF PART II OF  
THE PENAL CODE OF GUAM TO AUTHORIZE THE EXTENSION OF  
PRISONERS' CONFINEMENT LIMITS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

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

2 Section 1. Chapter IV is hereby added to Title VII of Part II of the Penal  
3 Code of Guam to read as follows:

4 "Chapter IV

5 EXTENSION OF LIMITS OF CONFINEMENT

6 Section 1234.1. Extension of Limits of Confinement. The Director  
7 of Public Safety may extend the limits of the place of confinement of a  
8 prisoner entrusted to his custody as to whom there is reasonable cause to  
9 believe he will honor his trust, by authorizing him, under prescribed  
10 conditions, to visit a specifically designated place or places for a period  
11 not to exceed twenty-four hours and return to the institution. An extension  
12 of limits may be granted only, to permit a visit to a dying relative,  
13 attendance at the funeral of a relative, the obtaining of medical services  
14 not otherwise available, or for any other compelling reason consistent with  
15 the public interest.

16 Section 1234.2. Same: Work Furlough. The Director of Public  
17 Safety may also extend the limits of confinement of such a prisoner as is  
18 described in Section 1234.1 by authorizing him, under prescribed conditions,  
19 to visit a specifically designated place or places for a period not to exceed  
20 nine hours and return to the same. An extension of limits, under this section  
21 may be granted only to permit the extension or continuance of a prisoner's  
22 education, to contact a prospective employer, to work at paid employment while  
23 continuing as a prisoner of the Guam Penitentiary; provided, that:  
24 (a) Representatives of local union or similar labor union organizations are  
25 consulted;



1 (b) Such paid employment will not result in the displacement of employed  
2 workers, or be applied in skills, crafts, or trades in which there is a  
3 surplus of available gainful labor in the territory, or impair existing  
4 contracts for services; and

5 (c) The rates of pay and other conditions of employment will not be less  
6 than those paid or provided for work of similar nature in the territory.

7 Section 1234.3. Repayment of Costs of Confinement. A prisoner  
8 authorized to work at paid employment in the territory under Section 1234.2  
9 may be required to pay, and the Director of Public Safety is authorized to  
10 collect, such costs incident to the prisoner's confinement as the Director  
11 of Public Safety deems appropriate and reasonable. Collections shall be  
12 deposited in the General Fund of the Treasury of Guam.

13 Section 1234.4. Failure to Conform: Punishment. The wilful  
14 failure of a prisoner to remain within the extended limits of his confinement,  
15 as authorized by the provisions of this Chapter, or to return within the  
16 time prescribed to the institution shall be deemed as escape from the  
17 custody of the Director of Public Safety punishable under Section 105 of  
18 this Code."

19 Section 2. This Act is an urgency measure.