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Bill No. 197-32(LR)

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT TO ADD A NEW §3223 TO CHAPTER 3 OF
TITLE 17 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO
HONORARY HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMAS FOR
CERTAIN SENIOR CITIZENS.**

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. A new §3219.1. is added to Title 17 Guam Code Annotated to read as follows:

“§3219.1. Honorary High School Diplomas for certain Senior Citizens. (a) The Guam Department of Education *shall* award an honorary high school diploma to any current or former resident of Guam:

- (1) who did not receive a high school diploma;
- (2) who resided on Guam during World War II from December 7, 1941 to September 2, 1945;
- (3) who would have been eligible to attend school, but his/her education was interrupted with the occupation of Japanese enemy forces; and
- (4) who did not continue his/her education after World War II to work and rebuild their homes and lives or assist in the care of family members.

(b) The Guam Department of Education and the Mayor’s Council of Guam shall work collaborative to implement this section.”