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Bill No. 292-33 ( COR)

Introduced by:



AN ACT TO AMEND SUBSECTION (a) OF § 11107 OF CHAPTER 11, TITLE 12 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICE CORPORATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

**Section 1.** Subsection (a) of § 11107 of Chapter 11, Title 12 Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read:

"(a) All powers vested in the Corporation, except as otherwise provided in this Chapter, shall be exercised by the Board. The Board shall consist of five (5) Trustees: the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Guam, who shall be Chairman; the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court of Guam who shall be Vice Chairman; the President of the Guam Bar Association, who shall be Chairman; and two (2) members appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Guam, whose terms shall be for three (3) years Judicial Council, who are members in good standing of the Guam Bar Association, one of whom shall be on the Private Attorney Panel; one (1) member appointed by the Chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the Guam Legislature; and one (1) member appointed by the Governor of Guam. Neither person appointed by the Chief Justice The Trustees shall not be the Attorney General, or a member of his staff. The Trustees, nor shall not they

- be employees of the Corporation, nor shall they be any Judge or Justice of
- 2 <u>the Courts of Guam.</u>"