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BILL STATUS

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2019 (FIRST) Regular Session

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Introduced by:

James C. Moylan *James*

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that in the efforts of identifying cost cutting measures, while assuring that the Guam Police Department (GPD) maintains adequate police officers and resources to address public safety concerns, that no monies appropriated to the Guam Police Department in any given Fiscal Year, should be expended on the Executive Security provided to the Executive Branch of Guam. The intent of the legislation does not exclude the Executive Branch, mainly the offices of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor, from utilizing the funds appropriated to their specific offices on funding Executive Security. This can be conducted by seeking either off duty officers or private security companies. The savings element for GPD could allow for the department to hire additional police officers to address the rising concerns of crime within the community, or support existing officers.

Section 2. § 77136 is hereby *added* to Chapter 77, Title 10, Guam Code Annotated to read as follows:

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“§ 77136. Prohibiting Executive Security to be funded from the budget appropriated to the Guam Police Department.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of the law, no funds from the budget appropriated to the Guam Police Department, in any fiscal year, shall be used to fund the Executive Security, including their overtime, provided to the Executive Branch of Guam, pursuant to Chapters 1 and 2 of Title 5, Guam Code Annotated. This subsection shall also be applied to the purchase or lease of any vehicles or resources used by the Executive Security. Nothing in this sub-section precludes the Executive Branch from procuring Executive Security, or any resources associated with the Executive Security, provided that it is funded from the annual budgets appropriated to the *Offices of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor.*”

Section 3. Severability. If any provision of this Act or its application to any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such invalidity *shall not* affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are severable.

Section 4. Effective Date. The Act *shall* become effective on October 1, 2019.