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AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 38 OF P.L. NO. 29-113 RELATING TO THE LADA ESTATES PROJECT AND ENSURING ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR THE PEOPLE OF GUAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. Legislative Findings. The demand for affordable housing for Guam families is rising exponentially each month as the military expansion and concurrent increase in economic activities progress. The shortage of affordable housing for Guam families and residents requires immediate action to facilitate access to equitable homeownership programs.

I Liheslaturan Guahan also finds that legislation providing access to, and existing laws governing, the "Lada Estates Affordable Housing Project", as enacted by P.L. 20-225 and further amended by P.L. 24-81, P.L. 25-116, and by Section 38 of P.L. 29-113, need to be amended further in order to facilitate and make more feasible the participation by local developers in creating more affordable-homes stock for Guam's working families and access to
 homeownership programs.

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3 Section 2. Section 6.1 of Section 38 of P.L. 29-113 is hereby amended
4 and shall read as follows:

"Section 6.1. Prices for Rental Development. The Property shall be 5 sold to a private, non-profit organization for the same price as reflected in 6 Section 6, of P.L. 20-225 as amended. Rental developments shall be developed 7 for families whose income do not exceed up to one hundred fifty percent 8 (150%) of the median income for Guam households as established by the U.S. 9 Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). When the property 10 is sold to a private, non-profit organization to develop affordable rental 11 development the transfer of sale shall have a deed restriction to ensure the 12 following: 13

A. In the event the private, non-profit organization sells the Property after the rental period, the Property shall only be sold to a first time homeowner. First time homeowner, as it relates to this act, shall be an eligible buyer as stated on Section 5 of P.L. 20-225 as amended by Section 38 of P.L. 29-113;

B. In the event the private, non-profit organization sells the Property after the rental period, the Property shall only be sold to a first time homeowner at the same value the private, non-profit organization purchased the Property and as stipulated on Section 6 of P.L. 20-225 as amended.

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C. When the private, non-profit organization sells the house and lot 1 after the rental period it will recover any cost of the vertical 2 construction, rehabilitation cost, administrative fee, and the 3 allowable developer fee allowed by HUD. The developer fee can be 4 only applied to the cost of the vertical unit and not the land. As 5 stated in section B of this legislation the land will be sold to the first-6 time homeowner with the same value the private, non-profit 7 organization bought the property as stated in Section 6 of P.L. 20-8 225. 9

Section 3. Superceding. If any provisions of any laws of Guam conflict
 with any sections of this law, then the provisions of this law shall supersede
 any such provisions.