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*I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*  
2010 (Second) Regular Session

Bill No. 408-30(COR)

Introduced by:

T.C. Ada 

AN ACT TO ADD A NEW DEFINITION TO §67101 OF CHAPTER 67,  
TITLE 10, RELATIVE TO DEFINING THE ELIGIBILITY OF A  
VETERAN'S DEPENDENT TO BE BURIED IN THE GUAM  
VETERANS CEMETERY.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:**

**Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that The Guam  
Veterans Affairs Enabling Act, Chapter 67, Title 10, does not clearly define the eligibility  
requirements for a veteran's dependent to be eligible for burial at the Guam Veterans Cemetery;  
and

*I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that in order to avoid any unnecessary stress on parties  
concerned, a clear definition of a "dependent" be provided as part of the Guam Veterans  
Cemetery rules and regulations and the Guam Veterans Affairs Office Enabling Act.

*I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that the U.S. Veterans Affairs Office clearly defines the  
eligibility of individuals who can be buried in national and state cemeteries in Title 38, Chapter  
23, Section 2306 of United States Code. *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* further finds that an identical  
definition should be incorporated into the Guam Veterans Affairs Enabling Act.

1           **Section 2. § 67101. Definitions. Add (d) to § 67101 of Chapter 67 of Title 10 Guam**

2           **Code Annotated is added as follows:**

3           § 67101 (a) Dependent is defined as follows:

4           (1) The minor children of an eligible Veteran. For purpose of burial in a Guam Veterans  
5 Cemetery, a minor child is a child who is unmarried and:

6                   (a) Who is under 21 years of age; or,

7                   (b) Who is under 23 years of age and pursuing a full-time course of instruction at  
8 an accredited educational institution.

9           (2) The unmarried adult child of an eligible Veteran. For purpose of burial in the Guam  
10 Veterans Cemetery, an unmarried adult child is of any age but became permanently physically or  
11 mentally disabled and incapable of self-support before reaching 21 years of age, or before  
12 reaching 23 years of age if pursuing a full-time course of instruction at an approved educational  
13 institution. Proper supporting documentation must be provided.