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The Honorable Mark Forbes Speaker Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hessler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 7 (LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7 TITLE 17 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS," now designated as **Public Law 28-09**.

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FELIX P. CAMACHO

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Governor of Guam

Attachment: copy attached of signed bill

cc: The Honorable Eddie Baza Calvo

Senator and Legislative Secretary

Office of the Speaker MARK FORBES

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MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

TWENTY-EIGHTH GUAM LEGISLATURE 155 Hessler Place, Hagåtña, Guam 96910

February 28, 2005

The Honorable Felix P. Camacho I Maga'lahen Guåhan Ufisinan I Maga'lahi Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Maga'lahi Camacho:

Transmitted herewith are Bill Nos. 15(LS), 17(LS), 35(EC), 36(EC), 37(EC), 47(EC), 48(EC); and Substitute Bill Nos. 7(LS), 10(LS), 20(EC) and 29(EC) which were passed by *I Mina'Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* on February 25, 2005.

Sincerely,

EDWARD J.B. CALVO

Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

Enclosures (11)

I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

CERTIFICATION OF PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUAHAN

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 7 (LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND §7113
OF CHAPTER 7 TITLE 17 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO
SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL
CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS," was on the 25th day of February, 2005,
duly and regularly passed.

Mark Forbes
Speaker

Edward J.B. Calvo
Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

FELIX P. CAMACHO
I Maga'lahen Guåhan

Date: March 9, 2005

Public Law No. **28-09**

I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 7 (LS)

As substituted by the Committee on Education and Community Development and amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

L. F. Kasperbauer
J. T. Won Pat
F. B. Aguon, Jr.
J. M.S. Brown
Edward J.B. Calvo
B. J.F. Cruz
Mike Cruz
Mark Forbes
R. Klitzkie
L. A. Leon Guerrero
J. A. Lujan
A. B. Palacios
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Ray Tenorio
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AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7 TITLE 17 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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- 3 Annotated is hereby *amended* to read:

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The school capacity limitations of this Section shall apply *only* to school projects initiated *after* September 30, 1997. The combined student enrollment in an existing school from any merger or consolidation of any existing schools at the time of such merger shall *not* exceed the capacity limits set herein. The Department may, subject to the approval of the Guam Education Policy Board, exceed the capacity limits for school mergers by *not more than* five percent (5%) provided that such merger would result in substantial cost savings and *not* endanger student and employee health and safety. These provisions shall *not* apply to school campuses that are temporarily used for double sessions."



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February 11, 2005

The Honorable Mark Forbes Speaker I Mina Bente Ocho na Liheslaturan Guahan 155 Hesler Place Hagatna, Guam 96910

Re: Committee Recommendation

Dear Speaker Forbes:

Votes are as Follows:

The Committee on Education & Community Development, to which was referred **BILL NO. 7** (LS)AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7, TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS, herein reports back with the recommendation To Do PASS as substituted by the committee.

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Sincerely,

Larry F. Kasperbauer Ph.D.

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February 11, 2005

MEMORANDUM

TO:

All Members

Committee on Education and Community Development

FROM:

Chairman

Subject:

Voting Sheet

Transmitted herewith are the voting sheet and the Committee Report on **BILL NO. 7 (LS)** AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7, TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS, as substituted for your review and signature.

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Larry F. Kasperbauer, Ph.D.

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Chairman: Senator Larry F. Kasperbauer, Ph.D. Vice-Chairperson: Senator Ray Tenorio Ex-Officio Member: Speaker Mark Forbes

VOTING SHEET ON BILL NO. 7

BILL NO.7 (LS) AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7, TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS, by Senator Larry F. Kasperbauer, Ph.D.

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Committee Report on:

BILL NO. 7 (LS) AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7, TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS.

I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Education & Community Development held a public hearing on Friday, January 21, 2005 at 2:30 PM at the Guam Legislature public hearing room in Hagatna, Guam. Notice of public hearing was printed in the Pacific Daily News (see attached) and disseminated throughout all local media.

Committee Members Present:

Senator Larry Kasperbauer, Chairman Senator Frank Aguon, Jr. Vice Speaker Joanne Brown Senator Mike Cruz Senator Robert Klitzkie Senator Jesse Lujan Senator Ray Tenorio Senator Antonio Unpingco Senator Judith Won Pat

Other Senators Present:

Senator BJ Cruz Senator Adolpho Palacios Senator Lou Leon Guerrero

Providing Testimony on Bill No. 7:

Juan P. Flores, Superintendent, Department of Education (DOE)
Dr. Jose Q. Cruz, Chair, Guam Education Policy Board,
Guam Education Policy Board
June Perez, concerned parent
John Rivera, Member, Guam Education Policy Board
Matt Rector, President, Guam Federation of Teachers (GFT) and Neeti Prakash, GFT
Representative to the Guam Education Policy Board

II. Summary of Testimony

Juan P. Flores, Superintendent, Department of Education (DOE), provided oral testimony in support of Bill No. 7. Mr. Flores stated that if the intent of the law setting capacity levels for new school construction was to set ideal capacity standards, then nothing should be done that goes against that principal, whether for mergers or consolidations. In response to questioning over adhering to strict standards, he informed the committee of actual and potential situations where flexibility would be warranted.

II. Summary of Testimony (cont.)

Dr. Jose Q. Cruz, Chair, Guam Education Policy Board, presented oral and written testimony in support of Bill No. 7 on behalf of the Board's Legislative Affairs Committee. Dr. Cruz stated that he considers the limitations set forth in the bill to be acceptable and that the bill adds to the continuing notion of explicit standards for education. He added that he hopes the bill would provide for some measure of flexibility so as to allow the limits to be exceeded temporarily. He expressed concern that strict limits would not allow the department to adequately react to situations that may arise which would necessitate temporary exceeding of the limits.

Guam Education Policy Board, submitted Resolution No. 05-3 in support of Bill No. 7. The resolution reiterates the testimony presented by Dr. Jose Q. Cruz.

June Perez, concerned parent, presented oral testimony questioning the rationale for the enrollment limits outlined in the Bill No. 7. She related that, in her experience, smaller schools do not necessarily contribute to a better education. She also expressed concern that the bill would force the construction of more schools at a time when we are hard-pressed to maintain our existing schools.

John Rivera, Member, Guam Education Policy Board, presented oral testimony in favor of setting enrollment limits but stated that DOE should have some leeway and that specific language should be included in Bill No. 7 that the Legislature be informed when a school reaches capacity. This would allow time for the Legislature to find funds to build new schools. He then went on to outline to the Committee the concept of schools within a school brought up earlier by Senator Won Pat.

Matt Rector, President, Guam Federation of Teachers (GFT) and Neeti Prakash, GFT Representative to the Guam Education Policy Board, presented written testimony in support of the bill for GFT and suggested provisions be included that address back-up-infrastructure and adequate classroom ventilation at newly constructed schools.

III. Findings & Recommendation

The Committee on Education and Community Development finds that the reasoning behind Bill No. 7 is similar to that of 17 GCA §7109, in that standards for school enrollment capacity should be at optimum levels. While existing law mandates that schools should be built to accommodate a limited number of students, the law is silent on the issue of the potential need to merge or consolidate schools and what the enrollment limits should be in such cases. Bill No. 7, as introduced, proposes a strict limit on such enrollment to the capacity limits established by 17 GCA §7109.

The Committee on Education and Community Development, having heard public testimony on Bill No. 7 and having deliberated on same, has incorporated into the Bill the recommendations of those who testified and offers to the Body a substitute version of the Bill.

Bill No. 7, as substituted by the Committee on Education and Community Development, maintains the spirit and intent of the original Bill, taking into account the concerns of the stakeholders as agreed upon by the Committee. Substitute Bill No. 7 allows DOE some measure of flexibility with which to accommodate more students in cases when exceeding the limits would not endanger health and safety and would result in substantial cost savings to DOE.

Accordingly, the Committee on Education and Community Development finds that Substitute Bill No. 7(LS) be reported out with the Recommendation To Pass.

The following Individuals provided written testimony on Bill No. 7:

- 1.) Dr. Jose Q. Cruz, Chair, Guam Education Policy Board,
- 2.) Guam Education Policy Board
- 3.) Matt Rector, President, Guam Federation of Teachers (GFT) and Neeti Prakash, GFT Representative to the Guam Education Policy Board

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MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 7 (LS)
As Substituted by the
Committee on Education and
Community Development

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7, TITLE 17, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS.

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The school capacity limitations of this Section shall apply *only* to school projects initiated *after* the effective date of Public Law Number 24-73 September 30, 1997. The combined student enrollment in an existing school from any merger or consolidation of any existing schools at the time of such merger shall not exceed the capacity limits set herein. The Department may, subject to the

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- 1 approval of the Guam Education Policy Board, exceed the capacity limits for
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Bill No. 8 (LS)

Introduced by:

L.F. Kasperbauer

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I Mina' Bente Ocho na Liheslaturan Guahan Senator Larry F. Kasperbauer Ph.D., Chairman

Hearing on Bill No. 7
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Guam Education Policy Board Guam Department of Education P.O. Box DE, Hagatna, Guam 96932

Testimony on Bill 7, Relative to Maximum Student Enrollment for School Consolidations or Mergers By Dr. Jose Q. Cruz, Chair, Education Policy Board January 21, 2005

Senator Kasperbauer, Chairman of the Committee on Education and Community Development, Honorable Senators and members of the Committee, my name is Dr. Jose Q. Cruz, Chairman of the Guam Education Policy Board. I speak most specifically as Chair of the Legislative Affairs Committee of our Board consisting of myself, Mrs. Rosa S. Palomo, GEPB voting member, Mr. Ron Benoit, business representative, Mrs. Neeti Prakash, GFT representative, and Mr. Luis Reyes, Superintendent liaison to the Committee.

Bill 7 sets limits to student enrollment in schools of the respective levels. It mimics the requirements for new schools but with a citation for schools only built after September 30, 1997. There is exemption for schools in double session. All these are acceptable limitations and it will add to our overall perspective in addressing our over crowded situation altogether. I believe our staff from DOE will better address this because it is an item in their School Leadership Progress Report to our Board.

The Bill adds to continuing the notion of explicit standards for education. This one is for facilities. I just hope that we may gracefully address our overcrowding situation without much disturbance to our mission of providing adequate education to our public school students.

I submit that I will work with our GEPB to ensure support of the Bill and possibly further thoughts thereof.

Thank you for the opportunity to present our thoughts even if it comes with some limitations on policy.

Resolution No. 05-3: Support of Bill 7, Relative to Maximum Student Enrollment for School Consolidation and Mergers

Whereas, the Guam Education Policy Board has established a Subcommittee on Public Information and Legislative Affairs;

Whereas, Dr. Jose Q. Cruz has testified as Chair of the Board and Chair of the Subcommittee in support of Bill 7 pointing out highlights of the Bill in continuing the intent of that contained in P.L. 26-26 relative to new schools and enrollment limitations or constraints;

Whereas, the same testimony raised a possible suggestion to give some authority for the GEPB to set some temporary exceptions to the enrollment requirements;

Whereas, the Department of Education is continuing its examination of overcrowding in the schools;

Whereas the enrollment standard also continues the setting of standards for an adequate education altogether; and

Whereas, the Guam Education Policy Board is tasked to take an official position, Now therefore be it resolved, that the Guam Education Policy Board affirms its support of the Bill and the testimony submitted by the Board Chairman.

Duly authorized and approved by the signatures of the voting and non-voting members of the Guam Education Policy Board with subsequent ratification to be submitted during its regular scheduled meeting.

Dated this 26 of January 2005.

Jose O Cruz, Ed.D., Chairman

Ronald Ayuyu, Katan District

Avery Fereras, Lagu District

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Student Representative

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January 28, 2005

Senator L. F. Kasperbauer Chairperson, Committee on Education & Community Development (CECD) Suite 16A & B Sinajana Shopping Mall Sinajana, Guam 96926

RE: Testimony for Public Hearing January 21, 2005

Dear Senator Kasperbauer;

This letter is to serve is the written testimony of the Guam Federation of Teachers for the bills to be heard to day during the public hearing. GFT would like to applaud the efforts of our new Republican legislature to ensure a cooperative environment with bills from both sides of the ail receiving prompt public hearings.

GFT has the following comments after reviewing the bill for today's public hearing: **Bill No. 1 (LS)** – "To Enact Every Child Is Entitled To An Adequate Public Education Act."

GFT applauds the author's intent and encourages any attempt by the Guam legislature to move in a direction of greater accountability for DOE. The authors efforts to define an adequate education will finally give our members and the islands children some guide posts previously only provided for in the DOE teachers contract. Guidelines that GFT has fought for over the years. GFT suggests that sections 15 and 16 should be modified to include interim dispute resolution measures with solid deadlines to attempt to resolve issues outside of a legal forum first. This system could be setup to forcing officials to resolve issues through mandatory binding arbitration in matters related to this bill and in the area of employee grievances. This mandatory binding arbitration should allow for an appeal to be taken to court.

It is unfortunate that it appears necessary to move our island in the direction of more litigation to resolve the current state of affaires at DOE. A current state of affaires that does not give our children and DOE employees the educational environment they deserve. GFT can only speculate that this

new legislation as written will not be an inexpensive attempt to resolve issues. Provided the bill includes the use of measures such as mandatory arbitration for employees and children, we may be able to work together to resolve issues and not simply find new ways to litigate.

<u>Bill No. 3 (LS)</u> - An Act To Add A New Article 5 To Chapter 18 Of Title 17, Guam Code Annotated Relative To Educator Recertification.

This bill provides much need assistance to educators in the area of recertification and GFT fully supports this legislation. However, the GFT does echo the sentiments of GCC and UOG in stating funding for the classes should be found and that these institutions should not be burdened with the tuition free provisions in the legislation. Further, in saying this GFT would like to suggest the addition of the following language:

§18503. Structured Curriculum Option: Approval of Course Listing. The allowable courses for each teaching class or teaching specialty shall be approved by the Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps Council. The educator must meet the admission perquisite requirements for such courses. The Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps. Council will allow and give favorable consideration for approval to any course taught by the Guam Federation of Teachers for the purposes herein.

Bill No. 7 (LS) - An Act To Amend §7113 Of Chapter 7, Title 17, Guam Code Annotated Relative To Setting Maximum Student Enrollment Limits For School Consolidations Or Mergers.

GFT agrees with the intent of the author of the bill in his effort to insure a comfortable environment for all students. GFT suggests the following additional language to add at the end:

"No school shall be designed and constructed with classrooms that can not provide for adequate ventilation for students comfort in the event of the failure of the air-conditioning system. The design should also include provisions for backup power and water supplies in the event of a system failure."

Bill No. 17 (LS) - An Act To Add A New §§(16) To §3112(A) Of Chapter 3, Article 1 Of Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, Relative To The Duties And Responsibilities Of The Guam Education Policy Board; To Amend §3121 Of Chapter 3, Article 1 Of Title 17, Guam Code Annotated, Relative To Mandating The Inclusion Of Spending Priorities For The Guam Public School Systems; Fiscal Year Budget; This Act Shall Be Known As The "Students First Act".

GFT would like to commend Senator Tenorio on this effort to insure the children and classroom teachers of Guam are given top budgetary priority. Nothing is more important to the learning process than those items that directly impact teaching and learning.

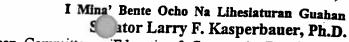
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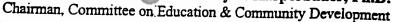
GFT appreciates Senator Won Pat's effort to give a basic definition to adequate public education. Perhaps some of her definition can be

incorporated into Bill 1. In particular GFT supports her effort to include language that states that personnel should be developed and retained. It is apparent that she understands the importance of cultivating talent. That any successful school system must have adequate compensation and positive working conditions to insure the long term retention of quality personnel. Thank You for the opportunity to submit this testimony today. Please do not hesitate to call me with any questions or concerns.

Regards,

Matt Rector, GFT President AFT Local 1581, AFL-CIO







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January 13, 2005

MEMORANDUM

To:

All Members

Committee on Education & Community Development

From:

Chairman

Subject:

Notice of Public hearing

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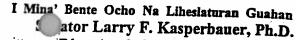
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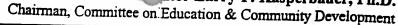
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CC: All Senators

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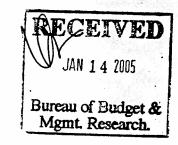




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RE: NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON EDUCATION BILLS

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I invite you to present testimony on behalf of the Bureau of Budget & Management Research. Your presence and that of any of your staff would be most appreciated.

Sincerely,

arry F Kasperbauer Ph.D.

Chairman

Enclosures: Bills 1, 3, 7, 17 & 18



<u>Letters of Notice of Public Hearing on Bills, 1, 3, 7, 17, & 18</u> Faxed on January 12 and hand Delivered January 13 & 14, 2005

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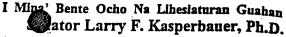
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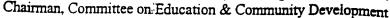
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RE: Request for Fiscal Note

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Pursuant to 2 G.C.A § 9103, I request that a Fiscal Note for each Bill be prepared and transmitted to my office. Copies are enclosed for your reference. Also, all Bills are available on the Legislature's website or my website www.lk4kids.com under "CECD Bill referrals." Lastly, please inform my office if it is necessary to continue to provide hard copies. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Larry F. Kasperbauer Ph.D.

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Education Chair Charges Ahead

Education Committee schedules first Public Hearing

Sinajana - A Public Hearing on five measures that deal directly with education will be held next week by the Committee on Education and Community Development, chaired by Senator Larry Kasperbauer.

On top of the agenda is Bill No. 3, authored by Sen. Kasperbaner, which, if enacted, would provide a means for teachers to improve their classroom skills while satisfying the continuing education requirements necessary for recertification of their teaching credentials. The measure creates a "Structured Curriculum" option which provides for all tuition, course fees, and books for certain courses taken at UOG and GCC to be paid by the Dr. Antonio C. Yamashita Educator Corps. Teachers currently must pay for these courses themselves.

Also on the agenda are Bills No's 7, 17, 18 and 1, Bill 7, also authored by Sen. Kasperbauer, addresses overcrowding concerns at schools by limiting the number of students enrolled to a manageable count. It would "Set Maximum Student Enrollment Limits for School Consolidations or Mergers." Bill 17, offered by Sen. Ray Tenorio offers a "Students First Act" initiative and Bills 18 by Sen. Judi Won Pet and Bill 1 submitted by Sen. Bob Klitzkie, have similar inclusions by addressing basic objectives of an adequate public educational system.

The public hearing will take place next Friday, January 21, 2005 beginning at 2:30 p.m. in the Public Hearing Room of the Guam Legislature. Further information on legislation introduced by Sen. Kasperbauer can be found on his website at www.lk4kids.com.

Contact 475-5437 for more information.

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Sen. Larry F. Kasperbauer, Chairman

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Bill No. 7 (LS)

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AN ACT TO AMEND §7113 OF CHAPTER 7 TITLE 17 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO SETTING MAXIMUM STUDENT ENROLLMENT LIMITS FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATIONS OR MERGERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- Section 1. Section 7113 of Chapter 7 Title 17 Guam Code
- 3 Annotated is hereby *amended* to read:

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- 4 "§7113. Limitations on Capacity Levels for the
- 5 Construction of New Public Schools. All public schools built on

Guam shall be designed and constructed for student enrollment capacity limits as follows:

- (a) Elementary Schools: five hundred fifty (550) students;
- (b) Middle Schools: seven hundred (700) students; and
- (c) High Schools: one thousand two hundred (1,200) students.

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