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

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is Bill No. 388(EC), "AN ACT TO AMEND §1603 OF TITLE 1 G.C.A., CHAPTER 16 TO ALLOW THE COMPILER OF LAWS TO PROVIDE A SEARCHABLE DATABASE VIA THE INTERNET" which I signed into law on January 29, 2007, as **Public Law 28-179.**

Sinseru yan Magåhet,

FELIX P. CAMACHO

I Maga'låhen Guåhan Governor of Guam

Attachment:

copy attached of signed bill

cc:

The Honorable Ray Tenorio

Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

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I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2006 (SECOND) Regular Session

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

This is to certify that Substitute Bill No. 388 (EC), "AN ACT TO AMEND §1603 OF TITLE 1 G.C.A., CHAPTER 16 TO ALLOW THE COMPILER OF LAWS TO PROVIDE A SEARCHABLE DATABASE VIA THE INTERNET," was on the 20th day of December, 2006, duly and regularly passed.

Attested:	Mark Forbes Speaker
Edward J.B. Calvo Senator and Secretary of the Legis	lature
This Act was received by <i>I Maga'lahen Gu</i>	uåhan this <u>30</u> day of <u>Dec</u> , 2006, at
	Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office
APPROVED: FELIX P. CAMACHO	-
I Maga'lahen Guåhan Date: 2 9 JAN 2007	-
Public Law No. 28–179	

I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2006 (SECOND) Regular Session

Bill No. 388 (EC)

As substituted by the Committee on Calendar and as amended.

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND §1603 OF TITLE 1 G.C.A., CHAPTER 16 TO ALLOW THE COMPILER OF LAWS TO PROVIDE A SEARCHABLE DATABASE VIA THE INTERNET.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- 2 Section 1. §1603 of Title 1 G.C.A., Chapter 16 is amended to read:
- 3 "§1603. Definitions. (a) Publication Defined. The terms
- 4 'publish, published, publishing, and publication' as used in this Chapter mean
- 5 any printed or duplicated material, regardless of format, which is produced,
- 6 purchased for distribution, or authorized by the Compiler of Laws for
- 7 distribution and purchase to the public, including the Guam Code Annotated,

- 1 Legislature Session Laws, Attorney General's Opinions, Executive Orders,
- 2 Administrative Rules, and court cases. The offer to distribute printed or
- 3 duplicated materials to a group of persons for purposes of further distribution or
- 4 public display constitutes publication. The distribution to other agencies or
- 5 instrumentalities of the government of Guam constitutes publication. With the
- 6 exception of the Guam Code Annotated and Session Laws of the Legislature,
- 7 the term 'publication' shall not include the authority to create or enable any
- 8 text-based searchable or researchable database of such printed or duplicated
- 9 materials.

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(b) Distribution Defined. The term 'distribute or distribution' shall mean to sell, lease, assign or otherwise transfer published materials, or offer to sell, lease, assign or otherwise transfer published materials. With the exception of the Guam Code Annotated and Session Laws of the Legislature, the term 'distribution' shall *not* include the authority to sell, lease, assign, transfer or offer to sell, lease, assign or transfer, or otherwise create or enable any text-based searchable or researchable database of published materials."