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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. 398(EC), "AN ACT TO ADD §5121(e) TO TITLE 5 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM RETIREMENT FUND'S EXEMPTION FROM THE CENTRALIZED PROCUREMENT REGIME" which I signed into law on January 29, 2007, as Public Law 28-188.

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

Office of the Speaker MARK FORBES

Date:

Time:

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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. 398 (EC), "AN ACT TO ADD §5121(e) TO TITLE 5 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM RETIREMENT FUND'S EXEMPTION FROM THE CENTRALIZED PROCUREMENT REGIME," was on the 29th day of December, 2006, duly and regularly passed.

	Jalle Julean
	Mark Forbes
Attested:	Speaker
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Edward J.B. Calvo	
Senator and Secretary of the Legislature	
Senator and Secretary of the Legislature	
This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this o'clockM	day of <u>Dec</u> , 2006, at Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office
Lawrens	
FELIX P. CAMACHO	
I Maga'lahen Guåhan	
Date: 2 9 JAN 2007	

Public Law No. **28–188**

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

Bill No. 398 (EC)

As substituted by the Author and further substituted by the Committee on General & Omnibus Matters and amended on the Floor.

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO ADD §5121(e) TO TITLE 5 OF THE GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF GUAM RETIREMENT FUND'S EXEMPTION FROM THE CENTRALIZED PROCUREMENT REGIME.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- 2 Section 1. Legislative Intent. The Board of Trustees of the Government of
- 3 Guam Retirement Fund owes a fiduciary duty to the members of the Fund, and

must discharge its duties with care, skill, prudence and diligence. To protect the members of the Fund, it is in the best interests of the Fund for the Board to retain a certain level of autonomy with respect to procurement matters.

- **Section 2.** §5121(e) of Part C, Article 2, Chapter 5, Title 5 of the Guam Code Annotated is hereby *added* as follows:
 - "(e) Approval of Contracts by Government of Guam Retirement Fund. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Board of Trustees of the Government of Guam Retirement Fund shall have exclusive authority to approve and execute all contracts for the procurement of professional services associated with the operation of the Fund."
 - Section 3. Effective Date. This Act shall be effective upon enactment.