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Felix Perez Camacho Governor

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2 2 APR 2005

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. 6 (LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND §67.401.2.1, AND TO ADD A NEW §67.401.2.2 TO CHAPTER 67 OF TITLE 9 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO REGULATING THE SALE OF BUTANE, PROPANE AND OTHER INHALANTS TO MINORS," which I signed into law on April 21, 2005, as **Public Law 28-25**.

Sinseru yan Magåhet,

FELIX P. CAMACHO

I Maga'låhen Guåhan Governor of Guam

Attachment: copy attached of signed bill

cc: The Honorable Eddie Baza Calvo

Senator and Legislative Secretary

Senator Edward J.B. Calvo SECRETARY OF THE LEGISLATURE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT RECEIPT

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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

April 11, 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. 5(LS), 34(EC), 39(EC), 40(EC), 43(EC), 52(EC), 54(EC) and 83(EC); and Substitute Bill Nos. 6(LS), 9(LS), 32(EC), 56(EC), 74(EC) and 78(EC) which were passed by *I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* on April 9, 2005.

Sincerely,

EDWARD J.B. CALVO

Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

Enclosures (14)

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

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

This is to certify that **Substitute Bill No.** 6 (LS), "AN ACT TO AMEND §67.401.2.1., AND TO ADD A NEW §67.401.2.2 TO CHAPTER 67 OF TITLE 9 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO REGULATING THE SALE OF BUTANE, PROPANE AND OTHER INHALANTS TO MINORS," was on the 9th day of April, 2005, duly and regularly passed,

Attested:	Mark Forbes Speaker
Edward J.B. Calvo Senator and Secretary of the Legislature	
This Act was received by I Maga'lahen Guåhan this _ at _4-32_ o'clock _PM.	day of April, 2005, Mywadauta Assistant Staff Officer Maga'lahi's Office
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I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

Bill No. 6 (LS)

As substituted by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs and amended.

Introduced by:

L. F. Kasperbauer
F. B. Aguon, Jr.
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AN ACT TO AMEND §67.401.2.1., AND TO ADD A NEW §67.401.2.2 TO CHAPTER 67 OF TITLE 9 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED, RELATIVE TO REGULATING THE SALE OF BUTANE, PROPANE AND OTHER INHALANTS TO MINORS.

- 1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:
- 2 Section 1. Section 67.401.2.1. of Chapter 67 of Title 9 Guam Code
- 3 Annotated is hereby amended to read:
- 4 "§67.401.2.1. Inhalants. (a) Use of Inhalants. It is unlawful for a
- 5 person to inhale, ingest, apply or smell the gases, vapors or fumes of an

aerosol spray product, volatile chemical, substance or other inhalant, that is not used pursuant to the instructions or prescription of a licensed health care provider, or that is not used pursuant to the manufacturer's label instructions, for the purpose of becoming under the influence of such substance, causing intoxication, euphoria, inebriation, stupefaction or the dulling of that person's brain or nervous system.

- (b) It is unlawful for a person to possess any gas, hazardous inhalant, aerosol spray product, substance containing a volatile chemical or substance containing a chemical material capable of releasing toxic vapors with the intent to violate the above.
- (c) Nothing in this Section applies to the inhalation of a prescription or over-the-counter product for medical or dental purposes, or the inhalation of the vapors or fumes of an alcoholic beverage, the sale and consumption of which is authorized by law.
- (d) Proof that a person intentionally or knowingly inhaled, ingested, applied or used a substance in a manner contrary to the directions for use, cautions or warnings on a label of a container of the substance gives rise to a presumption that the person violated Subsection (a).
- (e) For purposes of this Section, it is presumed that the ingredients in a container are, in fact, the ingredients listed on the label of the container or the ingredients listed for that substance in databases maintained or relied upon by a poison control center certified by a national association of poison control centers.

1 (f) A person who violates this Section commits a petty
2 misdemeanor. A person who violates Subsections (h), (i) or (j) of this
3 Section commits a petty misdemeanor for the first offense and a
4 misdemeanor for subsequent offenses.
5 (g) A juvenile court may require a minor found in violation of
6 this Section be provided with treatment and counseling.
7 (h) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell

- (h) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell, or transfer butane gas or butane lighters or butane in any other form to any person under the age of eighteen (18).
- (i) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell or transfer propane gas to any person under the age of eighteen (18).
- (j) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell or transfer substances on the *List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse*, as defined in §67.401.2.2(1) & (2) of this Chapter, to any person under the age of eighteen (18). This Subsection shall not apply to prescription or over-the-counter medication.
- (k) It is not unlawful to transfer inhalants to persons under the age of eighteen (18) provided that the minor's use of such inhalants is consistent with the product's labeling and is supervised by an adult over the age of eighteen (18)."
- Section 2. A new Section 67.401.2.2. is hereby *added* to Chapter 67 of Title 9 Guam Code Annotated to read:
- "§67.401.2.2. List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse.
 - (1) The Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse shall maintain a *List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse*. Such list shall

1	contain all known substances with the potential for abuse as defined in
2	§67.401.2.1 of this Chapter. The list shall be:
3	(a) reviewed and updated at least once annually;
4	(b) maintained on the Internet; and
5	(c) distributed to island retailers and all public and private
6	schools as the list is updated.
7	(2) Butane and propane shall be on the List of Known Inhalants
8	with Potential for Abuse.
9	(3) The Department shall, by Administrative Rules and
10	Regulations, develop the procedures by which Inhalants are added to
11	the List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse.
12	(4) All additions to the List of Known Inhalants with Potential for
13	Abuse shall require the approval of I Maga'lahi.
14	(5) Penalties contained in §67.401.2.1(j) shall not apply until such
15	substance has been on the List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse
16	for a period of <i>not less than</i> six (6) months."
17	Section 3. Appropriation. The sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars
18	(\$30,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to the
19	Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse for the purpose of
20	carrying out the provisions of Section 2 of this Act.

TRANSMISSION CHECKLIST TO I MAGA'LAHEN GUAHAN (Included in File w/ All Bills Transmitted) BILL NO. 6 (15)

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2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

Date: 4/9/05

VOTING SHEET

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CALVO, Edward J.B.					
CRUZ, Benjamin J.F,	V				
CRUZ, Michael (Dr.)	V				
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KLITZKIE, Robert	V				
LEON GUERRERO, Lourdes A.					
LUJAN, Jesse A.	V				
PALACIOS, Adolpho B.	V				
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MAJORITY LEADER

CHAIRMAN

COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE, PUBLIC SAFETY, YOUTH & FOREIGN AFFAIRS Suite 104, De La Corte Building -167 East Marine Corps Drive Hagåtña, Guam 96910 671.479.GUAM 671.479.1FAX raytenorio.com

March 2, 2005

The Honorable Mark Forbes Speaker I Mina' Bente Ocho na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910

Dear Speaker Forbes:

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth and Foreign Affairs, to which was referred, Bill No. 6(LS): "An act to amend §67.401.2.1 of, and to add a new §67.401.2.2 to Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated relative to regulating the sale of butane, propane and other inhalants to minors, now wishes to report back the same with the recommendation TO PASS.

The voting record is as follows:

TO PASS	
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A copy of the Committee report and other pertinent documents are attached for your information and file.

RAY TENORIO





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February 24, 2005

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Committee Members

FROM:

Chairman

SUBJECT:

Committee Report – BILL NO. 6(LS): An Act To Amend §67.401.2.1 Of, And To Add

A New §67.401.2.2 To Chapter 67 Of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated Relative To

Regulating The Sale Of Butane, Propane And Other Inhalants To Minors.

Transmitted herewith, for your information and action, is the report on BILL NO. 6(LS) from the Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs.

This memorandum is accompanied by the following:

- 1. Committee Voting Sheet
- 2. Committee Report
- 3. Bill No. 6(LS), as substituted
- 4. Written Testimony
- 5. Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- 6. Notice of Public Hearing
- 7. Bill No. 6(LS)

Please take appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention and cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this report or accompanying documents, please do not hesitate to contact me at 479-4825/26.





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VOTING RECORD

BILL NO. 6(LS): An Act To Amend §67.401.2.1 Of, And To Add A New §67.401.2.2 To Chapter 67 Of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated Relative To Regulating The Sale Of Butane, Propane And Other Inhalants To Minors.

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I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs conducted a public hearing on February 10, 2005 in the Legislative Public Hearing Room, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. Public notice was printed in the Pacific Daily News on February 3 and February 8, 2005.

Senators present:

- 1. Senator Ray Tenorio, Chairman
- 2. Senator Lawrence Kasperbauer, Vice-Chairman
- 3. Senator Adolpho Palacios, Member
- 4. Senator Edward Calvo

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY

Douglas Moylan, Attorney General of Guam, submitted written testimony (see attached) in opposition to Bill No. 6. Mr. Moylan stated that the prohibition on selling butane, propane, or "known inhalants with potential for abuse" to minors would cause an unnecessary effect on purchases made for legitimate purposes. Mr. Moylan further stated that the "List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse" that is to be maintained by the DMHSA is given no standards and would not withstand constitutional scrutiny.

III. FINDINGS

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs finds that there is a growing epidemic among the youth, both locally and nationally, in the abuse of inhalants. The Committee further finds that inhalants are often among the first drugs young children use. Studies indicate that inhalant abuse can become chronic and extend into adulthood. There is an array of medical consequences suffered by inhalant abusers. Prolonged sniffing can induce irregular and rapid heart rhythms and lead to heart failure and death within minutes of prolonged sniffing. Short-term effects from inhalant abuse include dizziness, drowsiness, lethargy and general muscle weakness. Some long-term effects include weight loss, muscle weakness, disorientation and depression.

The Committee also finds that minors can easily purchase these inhalants at various stores around the island. Bill No. 6 aims to curb this accessibility by holding persons or businesses accountable for the sale or transfer of inhalants to minors.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs hereby reports out Bill No. 6(LS): "An act to amend §67.401.2.1 of, and to add a new §67.401.2.2 to Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated relative to regulating the sale of butane, propane and other inhalants to minors" to *I Mina Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* with the recommendation **TO PASS**.

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

Bill No. 6 (LS)
As Substituted by the
Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety,
Youth & Foreign Affairs

Introduced by:

L.F. Kasperbauer

AN ACT TO AMEND §67.401.2.1. OF, AND TO ADD A NEW §67.401.2.2 TO CHAPTER 67 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO REGULATING THE SALE OF BUTANE, PROPANE AND OTHER INHALANTS TO MINORS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

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Section 1. Section 67.401.2.1. of Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code

Annotated is hereby *amended* to read:

"§67.401.2.1. Inhalants. (a) Use of Inhalants. It is unlawful for a person to inhale, ingest, apply or smell the gases, vapors or fumes of an aerosol spray product, volatile chemical, substance or other inhalant, that is not used pursuant to the instructions or prescription of a licensed health care provider, or that is not used pursuant to the manufacturer's label instructions, for the purpose of becoming under the influence of such substance, causing intoxication, euphoria, inebriation, stupefaction or the dulling of that person's brain or nervous system.

(b) It is unlawful for a person to possess any gas, hazardous inhalant, aerosol spray product, substance containing a volatile chemical or substance containing a chemical material capable of releasing toxic vapors with the intent to violate the above.

(c) Nothing in this Section applies to the inhalation of a prescription or over-the-counter product for medical or dental purposes, or the inhalation of the vapors or fumes of an alcoholic beverage, the sale and consumption of which is authorized by law.

- (d) Proof that a person intentionally or knowingly inhaled, ingested, applied or used a substance in a manner contrary to the directions for use, cautions or warnings on a label of a container of the substance gives rise to a presumption that the person violated Subsection (a).
- (e) For the purposes of this Section, it is presumed that the ingredients in a container are, in fact, the ingredients listed on the label of the container or the ingredients listed for that substance in databases maintained or relied upon by a poison control center certified by a national association of poison control centers.
- (f) A person who violates this Section commits a petty misdemeanor. A person who violates subsections (h), (i) or (j) this Section commits a petty misdemeanor for the first offense and a misdemeanor for subsequent offenses.
- (g) A juvenile court may require a minor found in violation of this Section be provided with treatment and counseling.
- (h) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell, or transfer butane gas or butane lighters or butane in any other form to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- (i) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell or transfer propane gas to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- 23 (j) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell or transfer 24 substances on the *List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse* as defined in 25 §67.401.2.2/(1) & (2) of this Chapter to any person under the age or Eighteen

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- 11 Inhalants with Potential for Abuse. Such list shall contain all known substances
- with the potential for abuse as defined in §67.401.2.1 of this Chapter. The list shall
- 13 be:

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- 21 develop the procedures by which Inhalants are added to the List of Known
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- shall require the approval of the Governor.

(5) Penalties contained \$67.401.2.1/(j) shall not apply until such substance has been on the *List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse* for a period of not less than six (6) months.

Section 3. Appropriation. The sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to the

5 (\$30,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the **Healthy Futures Fund** to the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of Section 2 of this Act.



Office of the Attorney General

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LEGISLATIVE TESTIMONY

Bill Number 6

(Public Hearing on Thursday, February 10, 2005)

The Office of the Attorney General currently is not in support as to the above identified legislation as drafted. The reasons are set forth below.

While this bill seeks to solve a present problem, I believe it goes too far. First, in addition to enhancing penalties, which is no problem, it prohibits the sale of butane, prepane and "known inhalants with potential for abuse" to minors. This will have an unnecessary effect on the purchase of these items for legitimate purposes, such as barbeones, cooking after storms, etc.

Secondly, the amendment prohibits the transfer of inhalants, by anybody by any means, to a minor without that person being supervised by an adult. Does this mean that a child with, say, asthma, and who must carry an inhaler with him at all times, can never go out without an adult supervising him? This is akin to a police state! This will lead to the absurd "no tolerance" policies of some stateside schools. It would allow far too much possibility of intrusion by authorities into ordinary life and legal activities and would tend to brand youth with certain health problems as inherently suspect.

Finally, the DPHSS is required to come up with a *List of Known Inhalants with Potential* for Abuse. No standards are given. Note that the Controlled Substances Act provides clear standards for each level of controlled substance. This section would not withstand constitutional scrutiny.

Author: Consumer Counsel Troutman

(The Office's testimony provided herein is intended to help the Committee evaluate the legislation. Since our time and staff resources remain scant and this testimony rathects our voluntary assistance, the testimony provided herein shall not be binding upon us, and is subject to our changing position in the event that facts or law are discovered which were not considered at the time of submitting this testimony.)



Committee on Criminal Rustics, Public Cafaty, Youth and Farcign Affairs Senator Ray Tenoric, Chairman

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Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth and Foreign Affairs

Senator Ray Tenorio, Chairman & Majority Leader

Public Hearing, Thursday, February 10, 2005 at 9:00a.m.

Public Hearing Room; Temperary Legislature, 155 Hesler Place, Hagatña, Guam Guam Paroie Board Member Nominees: Ms. Soledad H. Chargualaf & Mr. Michael D. Carey

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Allowing the consumption of alcohol restrictively within limousines 27(EC) and chartered vehicles traveling on public roadways.

Providing exceptions for prior licenses. 9(LS)

Regulating the sale of butane, propane and other inhalants to minors. 6(LS)

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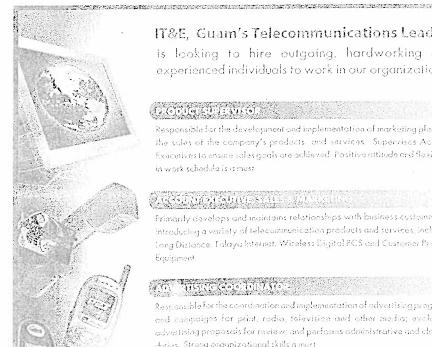
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Section 1. Section 67.401.2.1. of Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated is hereby *amended* to read:

- 67.401.2.1. Inhalants. (a) Use of Inhalants. It is unlawful for a person to inhale, ingest, apply or smell the gases, vapors or fumes of an aerosol spray product, volatile chemical, substance or other inhalant, that is not used pursuant to the instructions or prescription of a licensed health care provider, or that is not used pursuant to the manufacturer's label instructions, for the purpose of becoming under the influence of such substance, causing intoxication, euphoria, inebriation, stupefaction or the dulling of that person's brain or nervous system.
- (b) It is unlawful for a person to possess any gas, hazardous inhalant, aerosol spray product, substance containing a volatile chemical or substance containing a chemical material capable of releasing toxic vapors with the intent to violate the above.
- 16 (c) Nothing in this Section applies to the inhalation of a prescription or 17 over-the-counter product for medical or dental purposes, or the inhalation of the

vapors or fumes of an alcoholic beverage, the sale and consumption of which is authorized by law.

- (d) Proof that a person intentionally or knowingly inhaled, ingested, applied or used a substance in a manner contrary to the directions for use, cautions or warnings on a label of a container of the substance gives rise to a presumption that the person violated Subsection (a).
- (e) For the purposes of this Section, it is presumed that the ingredients in a container are, in fact, the ingredients listed on the label of the container or the ingredients listed for that substance in databases maintained or relied upon by a poison control center certified by a national association of poison control centers.
- (f) A person who violates this Section commits a petty misdemeanor. A person who violates Items (h), (i) or (j) this Section commits a petty misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) for the first offense and not less than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) but not more than One Thousand (\$1,000) for subsequent offenses.
 - (g) A juvenile court may require a minor found in violation of this Section be provided with treatment and counseling.
- (h) It is unlawful for any person or business to sell, or transfer butane gas or butane lighters or in any other form to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- 20 (i) It is unlawful for any person or business to sell, or transfer propane gas 21 to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- (j) It is unlawful for any person or business to sell, or transfer substances on
 the List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse as defined in §67.401.2.2. of
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1	(k) It is not unlawful to transfer inhalants to persons under the age of
2	Eighteen (18) provided that the minors use of such inhalants is consistent with the
3	products labeling and is supervised by an adult over the age of Eighteen (18)."
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5	Section 2. A new Section 67.401.2.2. is hereby added to Chapter 67 of
6	Title 9, Guam Code Annotated to read:
7	§67.401.2.2. List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse. The
8	Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse shall maintain a List of Known
9	Inhalants with Potential for Abuse. Such list shall contain all known substances
10	with the potential for abuse as defined in §67.401.2.1 of this Chapter. The list shall
11	be:
12	(a) reviewed and updated at least once annually,
13	(b) maintained on the Internet, and
14	(c) distributed to island retailers and all public and private schools as the list
15	is updated.
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17	Section 3. Appropriation. The sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars
18	(\$30,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to the
19	Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse for the purpose of carrying out
20	the provisions of Section 2 of this Act.



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The Honorable Joanne M.S. Brown Vice Speaker

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To:

Senator Kasperbauer

From:

Patricia C. Santos, Clerk of the Legislature

Subject:

Committee Report on Bill No. 6(LS) and 9(LS)

Pursuant to Section 7.04 of Rule VII of the 28th Standing Rules, transmitted herewith is a copy of the Committee Report on Bill No. 6(LS) and 9(LS) , for which you are the prime sponsor.

Should you have any questions or need further information, please contact the Clerk at 472-3464/5.

Attachment(s)



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March 2, 2005

The Honorable Mark Forbes Speaker I Mina' Bente Ocho na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96910 なるまで

Dear Speaker Forbes:

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth and Foreign Affairs, to which was referred, Bill No. 6(LS): "An act to amend §67.401.2.1 of, and to add a new §67.401.2.2 to Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated relative to regulating the sale of butane, propane and other inhalants to minors, now wishes to report back the same with the recommendation TO PASS.

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February 24, 2005

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Committee Members

FROM:

Chairman

SUBJECT:

Committee Report – BILL NO. 6(LS): An Act To Amend §67.401.2.1 Of, And To Add

A New §67.401.2.2 To Chapter 67 Of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated Relative To

Regulating The Sale Of Butane, Propane And Other Inhalants To Minors.

Transmitted herewith, for your information and action, is the report on BILL NO. 6(LS) from the Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs.

This memorandum is accompanied by the following:

- 1. Committee Voting Sheet
- 2. Committee Report
- 3. Bill No. 6(LS), as substituted
- 4. Written Testimony
- 5. Public Hearing Sign-in Sheet
- 6. Notice of Public Hearing
- 7. Bill No. 6(LS)

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Please take appropriate action on the attached voting sheet. Your attention and cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this report or accompanying documents, please do not hesitate to contact me at 479-4825/26.





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I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs conducted a public hearing on February 10, 2005 in the Legislative Public Hearing Room, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*. Public notice was printed in the Pacific Daily News on February 3 and February 8, 2005.

Senators present:

- 1. Senator Ray Tenorio, Chairman
- 2. Senator Lawrence Kasperbauer, Vice-Chairman
- 3. Senator Adolpho Palacios, Member
- 4. Senator Edward Calvo

II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY

Douglas Moylan, Attorney General of Guam, submitted written testimony (see attached) in opposition to Bill No. 6. Mr. Moylan stated that the prohibition on selling butane, propane, or "known inhalants with potential for abuse" to minors would cause an unnecessary effect on purchases made for legitimate purposes. Mr. Moylan further stated that the "List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse" that is to be maintained by the DMHSA is given no standards and would not withstand constitutional scrutiny.

III. FINDINGS

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs finds that there is a growing epidemic among the youth, both locally and nationally, in the abuse of inhalants. The Committee further finds that inhalants are often among the first drugs young children use. Studies indicate that inhalant abuse can become chronic and extend into adulthood. There is an array of medical consequences suffered by inhalant abusers. Prolonged sniffing can induce irregular and rapid heart rhythms and lead to heart failure and death within minutes of prolonged sniffing. Short-term effects from inhalant abuse include dizziness, drowsiness, lethargy and general muscle weakness. Some long-term effects include weight loss, muscle weakness, disorientation and depression.

The Committee also finds that minors can easily purchase these inhalants at various stores around the island. Bill No. 6 aims to curb this accessibility by holding persons or businesses accountable for the sale or transfer of inhalants to minors.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

The Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs hereby reports out Bill No. 6(LS): "An act to amend §67.401.2.1 of, and to add a new §67.401.2.2 to Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated relative to regulating the sale of butane, propane and other inhalants to minors" to *I Mina Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* with the recommendation **TO PASS**.

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Bill No. 6 (LS) As Substituted by the Committee on Criminal Justice, Public Safety, Youth & Foreign Affairs

Introduced by:

L.F. Kasperbauer

AN ACT TO AMEND §67.401.2.1. OF, AND TO ADD A NEW §67.401.2.2 TO CHAPTER 67 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO REGULATING THE SALE OF BUTANE, PROPANE AND OTHER INHALANTS TO MINORS.

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Annotated is hereby amended to read:

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product, volatile chemical, substance or other inhalant, that is not used pursuant to 7

the instructions or prescription of a licensed health care provider, or that is not

used pursuant to the manufacturer's label instructions, for the purpose of becoming

under the influence of such substance, causing intoxication, euphoria, inebriation,

stupefaction or the dulling of that person's brain or nervous system.

(b) It is unlawful for a person to possess any gas, hazardous inhalant,

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containing a chemical material capable of releasing toxic vapors with the intent to

15 violate the above. (c) Nothing in this Section applies to the inhalation of a prescription or over-the-counter product for medical or dental purposes, or the inhalation of the vapors or fumes of an alcoholic beverage, the sale and consumption of which is authorized by law.

- (d) Proof that a person intentionally or knowingly inhaled, ingested, applied or used a substance in a manner contrary to the directions for use, cautions or warnings on a label of a container of the substance gives rise to a presumption that the person violated Subsection (a).
- (e) For the purposes of this Section, it is presumed that the ingredients in a container are, in fact, the ingredients listed on the label of the container or the ingredients listed for that substance in databases maintained or relied upon by a poison control center certified by a national association of poison control centers.
- (f) A person who violates this Section commits a petty misdemeanor. <u>A</u> person who violates subsections (h), (i) or (j) this Section commits a petty misdemeanor for the first offense and a misdemeanor for subsequent offenses.
- (g) A juvenile court may require a minor found in violation of this Section be provided with treatment and counseling.
- (h) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell, or transfer butane gas or butane lighters or butane in any other form to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- (i) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell or transfer propane gas to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- (j) It is a petty misdemeanor for any person or business to sell or transfer substances on the *List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse* as defined in §67.401.2.2: (1) & (2) of this Chapter to any person under the age or Eighteen

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- 3 (k) It is not unlawful to transfer inhalants to persons under the age of 4 Eighteen (18) provided that the minors use of such inhalants is consistent with the
- 5 product's labeling and is supervised by an adult over the age of Eighteen (18)."

- Section 2. A new Section 67.401.2.2. is hereby *added* to Chapter 67 of 8 Title 9, Guam Code Annotated to read:
- 9 §67.401.2.2. List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse. (1) The
- Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse shall maintain a *List of Known*
- 11 Inhalants with Potential for Abuse. Such list shall contain all known substances
- 12 with the potential for abuse as defined in §67.401.2.1 of this Chapter. The list shall
- 13 be:
- (a) reviewed and updated at least once annually,
- (b) maintained on the Internet, and
- 16 (c) distributed to island retailers and all public and private schools as the list 17 is updated.
- 18 (2). Butane and propane shall be on the *List of Known Inhalants with*19 *Potential for Abuse*.
- 20 (3) The Department shall, by Administrative Rules and Regulations,
- 21 develop the procedures by which Inhalants are added to the List of Known
- 22 Inhalants with Potential for Abuse
- 23 (4) All additions to the List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse
- shall require the approval of the Governor.

- 1 (5) Penalties contained §67.401.2.1: (j) shall not apply until such substance
- 2 has been on the List of Known Inhalants with Potential for Abuse for a period of
- 3 not less than six (6) months.
- 4 Section 3. Appropriation. The sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars
- 5 (\$30,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to the
- 6 Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse for the purpose of carrying out
- 7 the provisions of Section 2 of this Act.



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LEGISLATIVE TESTIMONY Bill Number 6

(Public Hearing on Thursday, February 10, 2005)

The Office of the Attorney General currently is not in support as to the above identified legislation as drafted. The reasons are set forth below.

While this bill seeks to solve a present problem, I believe it goes too far. First, in addition to enhancing penalties, which is no problem, it prohibits the sale of butane, propane and "known inhalants with potential for abuse" to minors. This will have an unnecessary effect on the purchase of these items for legitimate purposes, such as barbecues, cooking after storms, etc.

Secondly, the amendment prohibits the transfer of inhalants, by anybody by any means, to a minor without that person being supervised by an adult. Does this mean that a child with, say, asthma, and who must carry an inhaler with him at all times, can never go out without an adult supervising him? This is akin to a police state! This will lead to the absurd "no tolerance" policies of some stateside schools. It would allow far too much possibility of intrusion by authorities into ordinary life and legal activities and would tend to brand youth with certain health problems as inherently suspect.

Finally, the DPHSS is required to come up with a *List of Known Inhalants with Potential* for Abuse. No standards are given. Note that the Controlled Substances Act provides clear standards for each level of controlled substance. This section would not withstand constitutional scrutiny.

Author: Consumer Counsel Troutman

(The Office's testimony provided herein is intended to help the Committee evaluate the legislation. Since our time and staff resources remain scant and this testimony reflects our voluntary assistance, the testimony provided herein shall not be binding upon us, and is subject to our changing position in the event that facts or law are discovered which were not considered at the time of submitting this testimony.)



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Bill No. 6 US

Introduced by:

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AN ACT TO AMEND §67.401.2.1. OF, AND TO ADD A NEW §67.401.2.2 TO CHAPTER 67 OF TITLE 9, GUAM CODE ANNOTATED RELATIVE TO REGULATING THE SALE OF BUTANE, PROPANE AND OTHER INHALANTS TO MINORS.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

- **Section 1.** Section 67.401.2.1. of Chapter 67 of Title 9, Guam Code Annotated is hereby *amended* to read:
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- (b) It is unlawful for a person to possess any gas, hazardous inhalant, aerosol spray product, substance containing a volatile chemical or substance containing a chemical material capable of releasing toxic vapors with the intent to violate the above.
- (c) Nothing in this Section applies to the inhalation of a prescription or over-the-counter product for medical or dental purposes, or the inhalation of the

vapors or fumes of an alcoholic beverage, the sale and consumption of which is authorized by law.

- (d) Proof that a person intentionally or knowingly inhaled, ingested, applied or used a substance in a manner contrary to the directions for use, cautions or warnings on a label of a container of the substance gives rise to a presumption that the person violated Subsection (a).
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- (f) A person who violates this Section commits a petty misdemeanor. A person who violates Items (h), (i) or (j) this Section commits a petty misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) for the first offense and not less than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) but not more than One Thousand (\$1,000) for subsequent offenses.
- (g) A juvenile court may require a minor found in violation of this Section be provided with treatment and counseling.
- (h) It is unlawful for any person or business to sell, or transfer butane gas or butane lighters or in any other form to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
- 20 (i) It is unlawful for any person or business to sell, or transfer propane gas 21 to any person under the age or Eighteen (18).
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18	(\$30,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the Healthy Futures Fund to the							
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