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Lieutenant Governor

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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. 206(EC), "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE *I MAGA'LAHEN GUAHAN* TO EXCHANGE A PORTION OF A PREWAR BULL CART TRAIL, TALOFOFO, GUAM FOR A PORTION OF LOT NUMBER 26-2R2, TALOFOFO, GUAM," which I signed into law on February 7, 2006, as **Public Law 28-96**.

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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MARK FORBES

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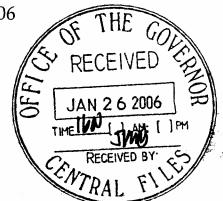
## MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

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

January 25, 2006

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. 90(EC), 147(LS), 160(EC), 206(EC) & 246(EC), and Substitute Bill Nos. 135(EC) & 233(EC) which were passed by *I Mina'Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* on January 25, 2006.

Sincerely,

EDWARD J.B. CALVO

Senator and Secretary of the Legislature

Enclosures (7)

## 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 **Bill No. 206 (EC)**, "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE *I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN* TO EXCHANGE A PORTION OF A PREWAR BULL CART TRAIL, TALOFOFO, GUAM FOR A PORTION OF LOT NUMBER 26-2R2, TALOFOFO, GUAM" was on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2006, duly and regularly passed.

Attested:	Mark Forbes Speaker
Edward J.B. Calvo Senator and Secretary of the Legislature	
This Act was received by <i>I Maga'lahen Guåhan</i> this _ 2006, at <b>4:  0</b> o'clock _ <b>_P</b> M.	26th day of Jamary
APPROVED:	Assistant Staff Officer  Maga'lahi's Office
FELIX P. CAMACHO I Maga'lahen Guåhan	

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

Bill No. 206 (EC)

As amended.

Introduced by:

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F. B. Aguon, Jr.
J. M.S. Brown
Edward J.B. Calvo
B. J.F. Cruz
Mike Cruz
Mark Forbes
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AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE *I MAGA'LAHEN GUÅHAN* TO EXCHANGE A PORTION OF A PREWAR BULL CART TRAIL, TALOFOFO, GUAM FOR A PORTION OF LOT NUMBER 26-2R2, TALOFOFO, GUAM.

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- 4 setbacks for Robert and Carol Darlow. The bull cart trail is situated between
- 5 two (2) parcels of land in which the Darlows own. I Liheslatura further finds
- 6 that the bull cart trail has been deemed unusable by the government of Guam.

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2 prewar bull cart trail. Likewise, the government of Guam never acquired the

3 land in which the Darlows seek to exchange for purposes of easement. The

4 land currently in the Darlows' holding contains a combined area of 2,344

5 square feet, whereas the prewar bull cart trail owned by the government of

6 Guam has an area of 2,304 square feet. Therefore, this would be a reasonable

land exchange and the government of Guam does not fail to benefit from this

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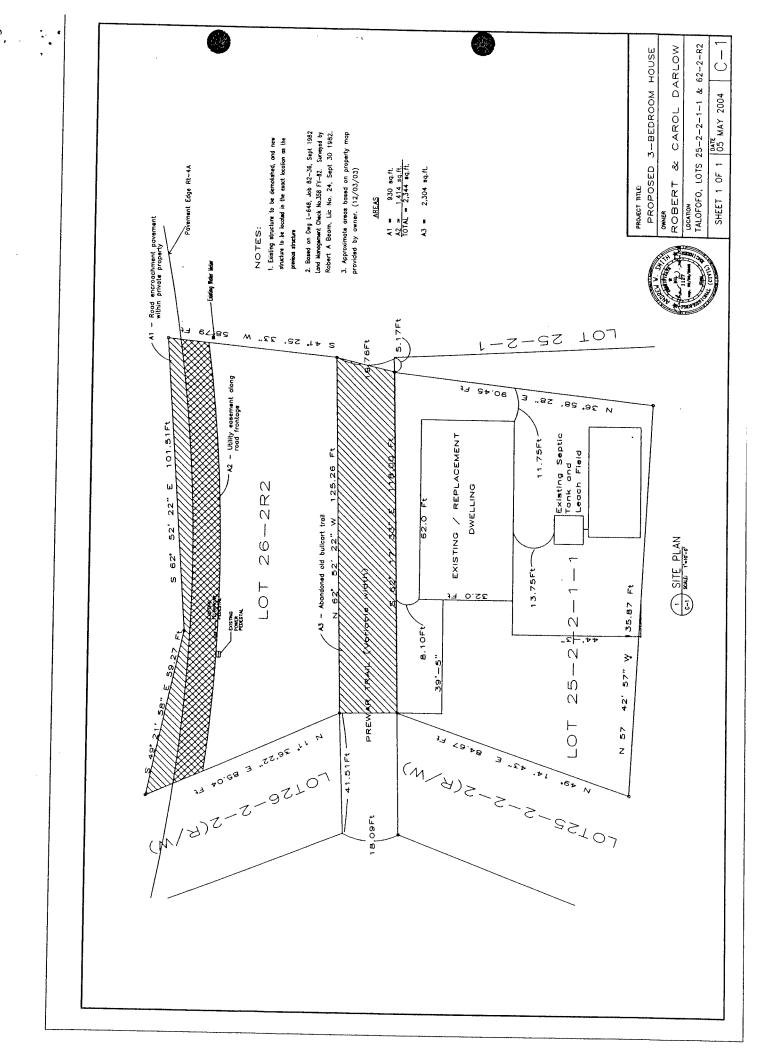
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Section 3. No Prohibition Against Building. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to prevent or prohibit the party receiving government

- land from improving such land or from building, erecting or constructing
   structures approved in accordance with the building and zoning codes of Guam.
- Section 4. Severability. If any of the provisions of this Act or the application thereof, to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall *not* affect any other provision or application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are severable.



## I MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN

2006 (SECOND) Regular Session

Date:	1/25/06

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## **VOTING SHEET**

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CALVO, Edward J.B.	V				
CRUZ, Benjamin J.F,					
CRUZ, Michael (Dr.)	V				
FORBES, Mark					
KASPERBAUER, Lawrence F.					
KLITZKIE, Robert					
LEON GUERRERO, Lourdes A.	V				
LUJAN, Jesse A.	V				
PALACIOS, Adolpho B.					
RESPICIO, Rory J.	V				
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## I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan The 28<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

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## **Speaker Mark Forbes**

Speaker Mark Forbes I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan 155 Hesler Place Hagatna, Guam 96910

The Committee on General & Omnibus Matters to which Bill No. 206 was referred, wishes to report its findings and recommendations **TO DO PASS BILL No. 206 (EC):** "An Act To Authorize I Maga'lahen Guåhan To Exchange Portion Of A Prewar Bull Cart Trail, Talofofo, Guam For Portions Of Lot Number 26-2r2, Talofofo, Guam".

Transmitted herewith for your consideration and action is our committee report on the above subject matter.

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	MARK FORBES
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### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Committee Members

FROM:

Chairman

**SUBJECT:** Committee Report- BILL No. 206 (EC): "An Act To Authorize I Maga'lahen Guåhan To Exchange Portion Of A Prewar Bull Cart Trail, Talofofo, Guam For Portions Of Lot Number 26-2r2, Talofofo, Guam".

Transmitted herewith for your information and action is the report on Bill No. 206 (EC) from the Committee on General and Omnibus Matters.

This memorandum is accompanied by the following:

- 1. Committee Voting Sheet
- 2. Committee Report
- 3. BILL No. 206 (EC)
- 4. Public Hearing Sign-In Sheet
- 5. Fiscal Note/Fiscal Note Waiver
- 6. Notice of Public Hearing

Please take the appropriate action on the voting sheet. Your attention and cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Should you have questions regarding the report or accompanying documents, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you and si Yu'os ma'ase.

MARK FORBES

Attachments

# COMMITTEE ON GENERAL AND OMNIBUS MATTERS

I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 155 HESLER PLACE, HAGÅTNA, GUAM 96910

An Act To Authorize I Maga'lahen Guåhan To Exchange Portion Of A Prewar Bull Cart Trail, Talofofo, Guam For Portions Of Lot Number 26-2r2, Talofofo, Guam.

## **VOTING SHEET**

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

Bill No. <u>206</u> (EC)

Introduced by:

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L.A. Leon Guerrero

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE I MAGA'LAHEN GUAHAN TO EXCHANGE PORTION OF A PREWAR BULL CART TRAIL, TALOFOFO, GUAM FOR PORTIONS OF LOT

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

NUMBER 26-2R2, TALOFOFO, GUAM

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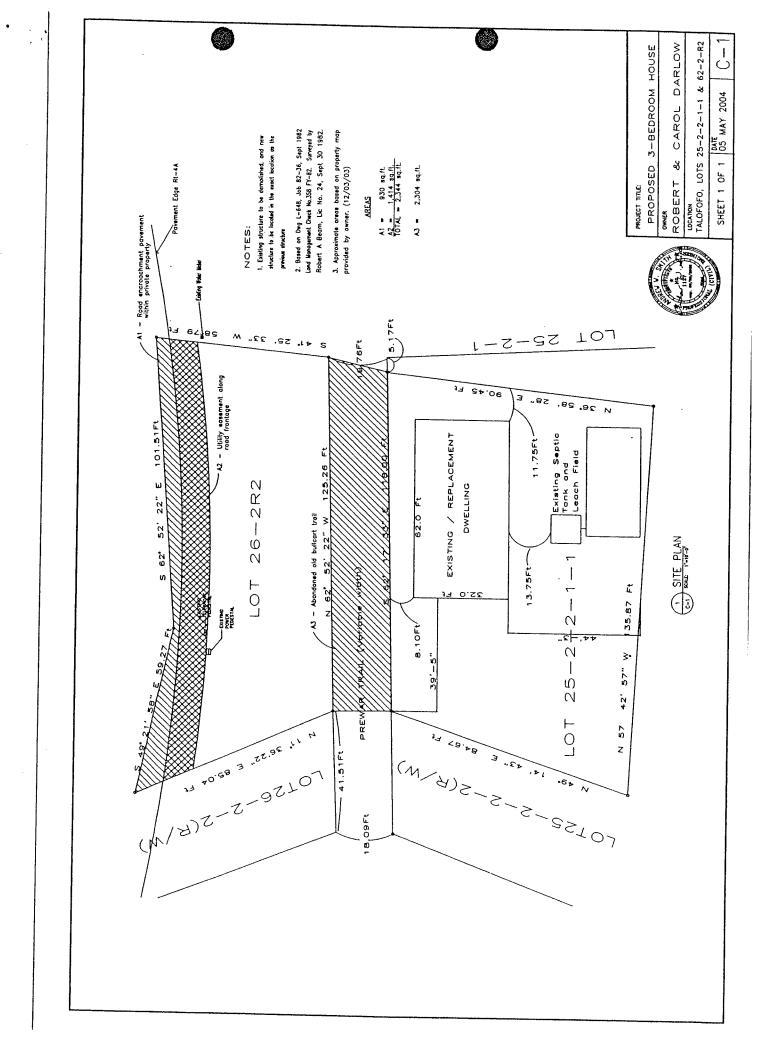
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## I MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN COMMITTEE ON GENERAL & OMNIBUS MATTERS SPEAKER MARK FORBES, CHAIRMAN

## COMMITTEE REPORT ON BILL NO. 206 (EC)

An Act To Authorize I Maga'lahen Guåhan To Exchange Portion Of A Prewar Bull Cart Trail, Talofofo, Guam For Portions Of Lot Number 26-2r2, Talofofo, Guam.

#### I. OVERVIEW

The Committee on General and Omnibus Matters held a public hearing at 2:00 p.m. on January 17, 2006 in the Public Hearing Room, I Liheslaturan Guåhan. Public notice was given to all media (see facsimile confirmation page) on January 10 and January 16, 2006. Notice was placed in the PDN on January 13, 16 and 17, 2006.

Senators present at the public hearing were:

Speaker Mark Forbes, Chairman Senator Robert Klitzkie Senator Adolpho B. Palacios, Sr. Senator Larry Kasperbauer Senator Lou Leon Guerrero Senator Judy Won Pat

### II. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY

Individuals that appeared before the Committee to present oral and written testimony on the bill were as follows:

**Robert Darlow**, Private Land Owner, oral and written testimony in support of Bill No. 206. Mr. Darlow read his written testimony. Please see attachment.

Cynthia Jackson, Supervisor, Rights of Way, Department of Public Works, oral and written testimony in support of Bill No. 206. Ms. Jackson read her written testimony. Please see attachment.

#### Discussion:

Speaker Forbes inquired about the encroachment issue regarding Lot 26-2R2, Tolofofo, Guam, private property owned by Mr. Robert Darlow. He asked Ms. Jackson, DPW, of the time the encroachment by the government of Guam was done? Ms. Jackson said she is unaware of the date it occurred and said upon her inspection of the property, she became knowledgeable of the encroachment.

Ms. Jackson further said that Mr. Darlow's request is reasonable and referred to the exchange as a win-win deal for both the private land owner and the government of Guam. Speaker Forbes interjected Ms. Jackson's comments and said the encroachment should have never have happened and it was unfortunate that Mr. Darlow had to wait twenty years after purchasing this piece of property to finally see some resolution to his land issues. Speaker Forbes said that his committee will continue to hold roundtables, and will invite DPW to attend, to address the many private land issues that are in dispute with the government of Guam and would require some form of compensation or exchange.

Senator Lou Leon Guerrero, Author of Bill No. 206, commended Ms. Jackson for her diligent work to help resolve Mr. Darlow's land problems. She further added that with Ms. Jackson's expeditious work, she hopes that Bill No. 206 will get passed by the legislature before the end of session this January.

bought the land. Mr. Darlow said he bought the land twenty two years ago and that he was aware of both the government's encroachment onto the private property and of the bull cart trail that separated the two properties prior to purchasing the two land lots. He said he didn't realize the setbacks it posed on development of the property until after Typhoon Pongsonga. He wanted to rebuild his home but the bull cart trail made it difficult for him to have full beneficial use of the properties. He said he is willing to exchange the northern portion of his property, the frontage of Route 4A and the location of the government encroachment for the bull cart trail.

Senator Kliztkie asked Ms. Jackson, what was DPW's justification for the utility easement on the property being questioned? He also asked if DPW had properly acquired the utility easement. Ms. Jackson responded that she is unaware if the property was properly acquired for the utility easement. Mr. Darlow interjected the comments of Ms. Jackson and described an incident involving a dispute between his neighbors and the government of Guam when the government was constructing waterlines and placing power poles onto private property adjacent to his lot. He said that although he did not stop the government's construction of the waterlines and utility power poles on his property, his neighbor was able to get the government to divert the waterlines and power poles across the street. Speaker Forbes stated that he will work with the legislature in addressing this Bill in this upcoming January Session.

### III. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION

The Committee on General and Omnibus Matters finds that the intent of Bill No. 206. will remedy a land issue that has gone unresolved for the last twenty two years. The encroachment of the government of Guam into the private property owned by Mr. Darlow has not been compensated and the committee finds that Mr. Darlow's request to exchange this piece of property for the bull cart trail that separates the two lots is deemed reasonable. Currently there is no beneficial use of the bull cart trail by the government of Guam and thereby adding a complex dilemma for the private land owner, Mr. Darlow, who owns the properties separated by the bull cart trail to have full utilization of the properties. The committee further finds that the land exchange will allow the private land owner to fully utilize the combined lots with the exchange of the encroached portion of his lot, fronting Route 4A.

Accordingly, the Committee on General and Omnibus Matters to which BILL No. 206 (EC) was referred does hereby submit its findings and recommendations to I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan **TO DO PASS BILL No. 206 (EC),** "An Act To Authorize I Maga'lahen Guåhan To Exchange Portion Of A Prewar Bull Cart Trail, Talofofo, Guam For Portions Of Lot Number 26-2r2, Talofofo, Guam."

## Committee on General & Omnibus Matters, and Executive Committee

Public Hearing
January 17, 2006
2:00 p.m..
I Liheslaturan Guahan, Hagåtña

Bill No. 206 (EC) - By L. A. Leon Guerrero

An Act To Authorize I Maga'lahen Guåhan To Exchange Portion Of A Prewar Bull Cart Trail, Talofofo, Guam For Portions Of Lot Number 26-2r2, Talofofo, Guam.

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## I Mina' Bente Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guahan The 28<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

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## **Speaker Mark Forbes**

## WAIVER OF FISCAL NOTE

In accordance with §9105 Title 2 GCA, I hereby certify that prompt committee action on Bill 206 is necessary to the proper conduct of legislative business. Therefore, I am waiving requirement of a fiscal note on Bill 206.

MARK FORBES

Speaker and Chairman,

Committee on General and Omnibus Matters

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#### Speaker Mark Forbes

#### <u>Facsimile</u>

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From:

The Office of Speaker Mark Porbes

Re:

Public Hearing Notice-Tuesday, January 17, 2006

Note:

We would like to reserve space in the government meeting notice section of the Pacific Daily News for Wednesday, January 11, Thursday, January 12, Friday, January 13, Monday, January 16 and Tuesday, January 17,

2006 to read:

"Committee on General and Omnibus Matters & Executive Committee: Public Hearing, Tuesday, January 17, 2006, 2:00 P.M., Public Hearing Room, Temporary Legislative Building, Hagatita, Guam. To be heard;

#### The following Bills will be heard by the Committee on General & Omnibus Matter & the Executive Committee:

PRI No. 124(EC) - by J. M.S. Brown
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Bill No. 287 (EC) — By R. J. Raspicio
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The Governor Of Guam, The Lieuteness Governor Of Guam, The Guess Issue Clearing Rosses, And All
Other Offices That May Be Established And Placed Under The Purview Or Direction Of The Lieuteness
Governor Of Guam By Adding A New §2103.5 To Chapter 2 Of Title 5 Of Title Guam Code Announced,
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§6207.5 To Article 2, Chapter 6 Of Title 4 Of The Guam Code Announced.

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From: The Office of Speaker Mark Porbos

Re:

Public Hearing Notice-Tuesday, January 17, 2006

Note:

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Chairman, Committee on General & Omnibus Matters, and

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**SUBJECT:** 

Notice of Public Hearing- January 17, 2006

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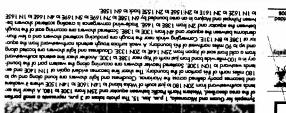
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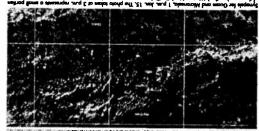
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Honorable Senators:

I, Mr. Robert L. Darlow Jr., residing at 575 San Miguel St., Talofofo, would like to testify in favor of Bill 206.

There is a portion of a "Prewar Trail" or "Bull Cart Path" separating Lot 26-2R2 and Lot 25-2-2-1-1. As the owner of both of these lots, I would like to trade the northern portion of Lot 26-2R2 in return for title to that portion of the bull cart path.

Route 4A currently uses the northern portion of Lot 26-2R2, and limits the lot's use, sandwiched between the bull cart path and Route 4A. The parcels of land for the proposed trade are approximately the same size and the trade would give the Government of Guam title to all of that section of pavement and shoulder and remove the encroachment.

The trade would be possible for that portion of the bull cart path to be consolidated with Lot 26-2R2 and Lot 25-2-2-1-1 to increase the potential for improvements the property.

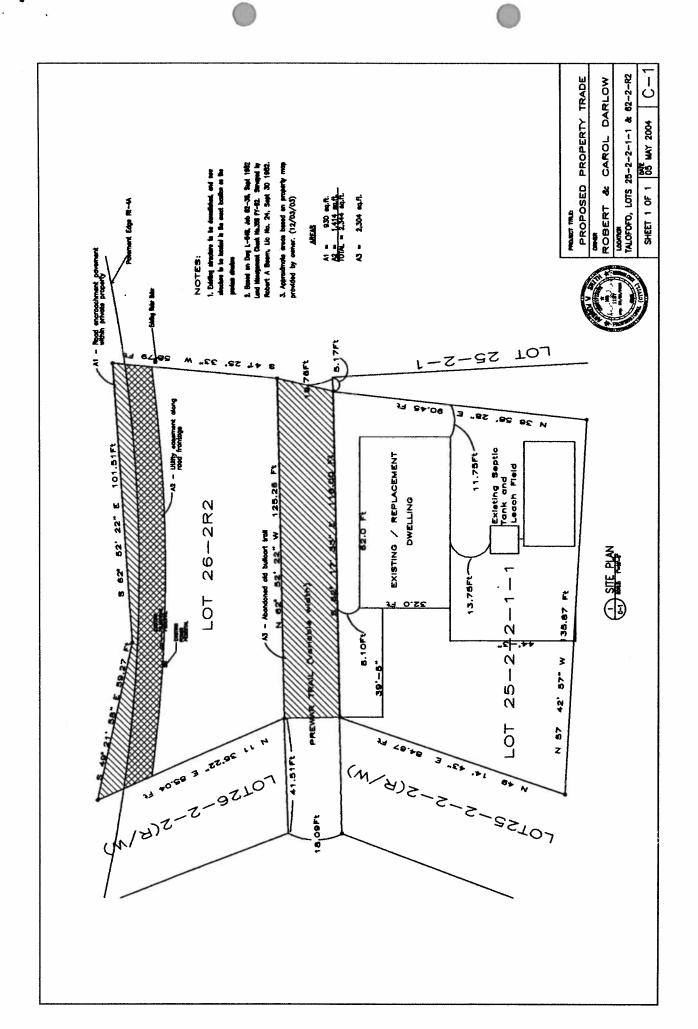
To the West, several portions of this path have already been converted to private ownership, and to the East the path encounters several shear drops. The removal of this portion of the bull cart path will not block access to any other piece of property nor be detrimental to any existing or proposed use of this section of the path.

The trade will benefit equally the Government of Guam and the property owner. I respectfully request that the legislature favorably consider passage of Bill 206, which will allow this trade to occur.

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### TESTIMONY OF CYNTHIA U. JACKSON RIGHTS-OF-WAY SUPERVISOR DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Good Afternoon Speaker Forbes, Senator Lou and Senators of the 28<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature. My name is Cynthia U. Jackson, the Rights-of-Way Supervisor from the Department of Public Works. Thank you for the opportunity to present my testimony, on behalf of the Department of Public Works in favor of Bill 206.

The Darlow's request for Land Exchange presents a win-win situation for the Government of Guam. As the Agency is responsible for land acquisition for future road widening, this landowner's request for contiguous use of his property is reasonable and provides for public benefit.

I have inspected the property and the future use of the trail seems highly unlikely as portions of this trail have been disposed of and the portion of the remaining trail drops down 20-feet steep descent.

The highest and best use of both properties to be exchange is for the same purpose, a public easement. I am of the opinion that an appraisal of both portions would yield similar appraised values, with no damages or benefits.

The Department of Public Works welcomes win-win requests such as Mr. Robert and Carol Darlow's and strives to obtain the same resolution with every land exchange issue.

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

Bill No. <u>206</u> (EC)

Introduced by:

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L.A. Leon Guerrero

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE I MAGA'LAHEN GUAHAN TO EXCHANGE PORTION OF A PREWAR BULL CART TRAIL, TALOFOFO, GUAM FOR PORTIONS OF LOT NUMBER 26-2R2, TALOFOFO, GUAM

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

2	Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. I Liheslaturan Guahan
3	finds that a prewar bull cart trail in the municipality of Talofofo has posed
4	setbacks for Robert and Carol Darlow. The bull cart trail is situated between
5	two parcels of land in which the Darlows own. I Liheslatura further finds that
6	the bull cart trail has been deemed unusable by the government of Guam.
7	Accordingly, the Darlows request to exchange land in their holding for the
8	prewar bull cart trail. Likewise, the government of Guam never acquired the
9	land in which the Darlows seek to exchange for purposes of easement. The
10	land currently in the Darlows' holding contains a combined area of 2,344
11	square feet, whereas the prewar bull cart trail owned by the government of
12	Guam has an area of 2,304 square feet. Therefore, this would be a reasonable
13	land exchange and the government of Guam does not fail to benefit from this
14	transaction.
15	It is the intent of I Liheslaturan Guahan to authorize I Maga Lahen

It is the intent of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* to authorize *I Maga Lahen Guahan* to exchange a portion of a prewar bull cart trail located in Talofofo, Guam for portions of Lot Number 26-2R2, Talofofo, Guam.

**Section 2. Land Exchange.** *I Maga'lahi* shall exchange portion of prewar bull cart trail, Talofofo, Guam (identified as A3 in the attached sketch) containing an area of 2,304 square feet for portions of Lot No. 26-2R2, Talofofo, Guam (identified as A1 and A2) owned by Robert and Carol Darlow

containing a combined area of 2,344 square feet. In exchange for portions of Lot No. 26-2R2, Talofofo, Guam (identified as A1 and A2), a portion of the prewar bull cart trail (A3) Talofofo, Guam, shall be conveyed by the government of Guam to Robert and Carol Darlow. A1 represents route 4A encroachment onto private property. A2 represents private property within the route 4A alignment that will be acquired by GovGuam for future widening. In exchange for a portion of the prewar bull cart trail (identified as A3 in attached sketch), Talofofo, Guam, portions of Lot No. 26-2R2 Talofofo, Guam (identified as A1 and A2 on the attached sketch) and within route 4A shall be conveyed by Robert and Carol Darlow to the government of Guam.

Section 3. No Prohibition Against Building. Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to prevent or prohibit the party receiving government land from improving such land or from building, erecting or constructing structures approved in accordance with the building and zoning codes of Guam.

**Section 4. Severability**. If any of the provisions of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any other provision or application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are severable.

