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BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

Section 1. § 26203.3 of Chapter 26, Title 11, Guam Code Annotated, is hereby *amended* to read as follows:

§ 26203.3. Temporary Limited Exemption for Certain Small Businesses.

Notwithstanding any provision of law, the taxes levied under this Article in excess of those generated from three percent (3%) of the gross proceeds of business privilege tax referenced in § 26202 shall not apply to the first Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) earned or received per taxable year by any person from real property rentals, rental others, profession, retailing, service income, commission income, licensed insurance premium, and/or farming, whose gross annual income is in excess of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) but not more than Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) during the most recent tax year; provided, however, that such person(s) shall be fully subject to three percent (3%)

- of the gross proceeds of business privilege tax referenced in § 26202, subject to the
- 2 existing requirements and exemptions referenced elsewhere in this Article. The
- 3 exemption set forth in this Section shall apply annually, commencing on the first
- 4 day of the month of the new tax year, based on the gross annual income of a person
- 5 during the most recent year, and shall end on the last day of the last month of the
- 6 same tax year.
- 7 **Section 2.** Section 3 of Public Law 35-90 is hereby *amended* to read as
- 8 follows:
- 9 This Act shall be effective upon enactment and apply retroactively to
- 10 January 1, 2020 and shall expire two (2) years from the date of enactment.
- 11 Section 4. Severability. If any provision of this Act or its application to
- 12 any person or circumstance is found to be invalid or contrary to law, such
- invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Act that can be
- 14 given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the
- provisions of this Act are severable.
- Section 5. Effective Date. The Act *shall* become effective upon enactment.