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Bill No. 198-32 (COR)

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AN ACT TO ADD A NEW §5013 TO TITLE 5,
CHAPTER 5 OF TITLE 5 GUAM CODE ANNOTATED,
RELATIVE TO GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT
POLICY IN FAVOR OF WOMEN OWNED
BUSINESSES.

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1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM:

2 A new §5013 is added to Chapter 5 of Title 5 Guam Code Annotated
3 to read as follows:

4 "§5013. Policy In Favor of Women Owned Businesses.

5 (a) Notwithstanding any provision of law, and except for the
6 procurement of professional services, if any entity of the government of
7 Guam or any entity expending governmental funds intends to procure any
8 supply or service, which is offered by a business concern that is at least
9 fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one or more women, that entity shall
10 procure such supply or service from that business concern, if the supply or
11 service is available within the period required by the procuring entity and

1 the price for the supply or service does not exceed one hundred five
2 percent (105%) of the lowest price bidder, and shall be in addition to any
3 other procurement benefit the women owned business may qualify for
4 under Guam law.

5 (b) A business concern is qualified under this section if:

6 (1) the business concern is licensed to do business on Guam;

7 (2) the business concern maintains its headquarters on Guam;

8 (3) the business concern is at least fifty-one percent (51%) by one
9 or more women; and

10 (4) one or more women of the business concern has filed
11 individual tax returns on Guam for a period of at least three (3) consecutive
12 years.”